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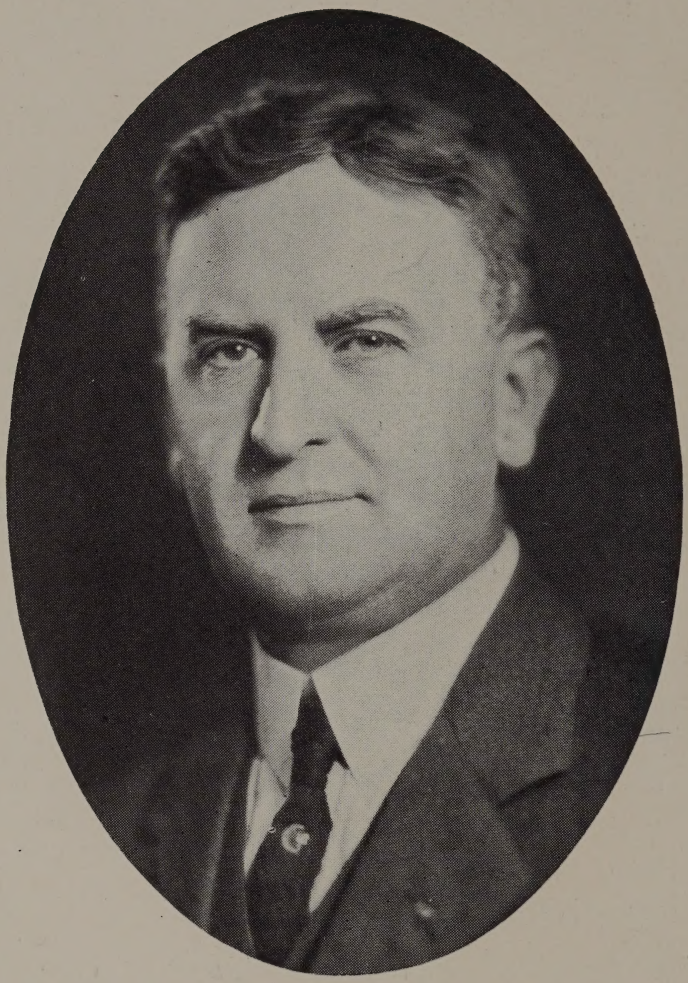

CHARLES S. LOY
GRAND CHANCELLOR
1929-1930

OFFICIAL RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Sixty-second Annual Convention

OF THE

Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias

OF THE

GRAND DOMAIN OF INDIANA

HELD AT

Indianapolis, October 7 and 8, 1930
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Synopsis of Proceedings of 1930

Tuesday and Wednesday, October 7 and 8

First Day

1. Convention called to order by Charles S. Loy, Grand Chancellor; Grand Lodge Rank conferred.

2. Journal of last convention approved; reports of officers submitted; proposed amendments to statutes and numerous resolutions and other documents introduced and referred to committees.

3. Messages of greeting read from Supreme Chancellor Crouch, Past Grand Chancellor Darnell, Major-General Tuggle of the Uniform Rank, Supreme Minister of Records McFarland of Princes of Syracuse.

4. Deposited floral wreath at World War Memorial in honor of soldier dead of the Order.

5. Grand Lodge officers and representatives visited the Pythian Home at Lafayette in the afternoon, going by special train over the Big Four. Marched to Union Station at Indianapolis and through streets of Lafayette.

6. Memorial service held at the Pythian Home for deceased residents of the Home and deceased members of the Order throughout the state.

7. No evening session held.

Second Day

8. Held election of officers, advancing line officers, electing Joe W. Todd of Hammond as Grand Outer Guard; Re-electing Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Mitchell, Grand Master of Exchequer Kammerer, and Grand Trustee Crooker.

9. Passed amendments to Grand Lodge Statutes—Eliminating committee on Insurance Department from the list of Grand Lodge Committees; abolishing the position of Lodge Deputy and substituting an Installing officer; adding to the definition of good standing, a provision that the member's dues must be paid in full; making a slight change in the method of balloting on applications for reinstatement; authorizing appropriation for Orphans' Maintenance in the event legislation is enacted by the Pythian Sisters; providing for the payment by subordinate lodges of expenses of investigating Pythian Home applicants outside the state.

10. Adopted resolutions inviting Grand Temple Pythian Sisters to meet on the same days as Grand Lodge; endorsing the nationwide observance of the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington in 1932; urging all Knights of Pythias to use Indiana products and patronize Indiana industries; endorsing proposed nationwide Pythian rally to be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, in August, 1931, in conjunction with the D. O. K. K. convention.

11. Adopted report and resolution of special committee of 15 relative to the findings of the Grand Lodge Committee on Finance on the subject of delinquent reports and illegal suspensions; directed the Committee on Judiciary, Committee on Subordinate Lodge By-Laws, incoming Grand Chancellor and Grand Keeper of Records and Seal to investigate the codifying and reprinting of Grand Lodge Statutes, reporting at next convention.

12. Enjoyed brief but eloquent address of Senator James E. Watson, P. S. R.

13. Received visit and heard fine addresses from Grand Chief and other officers of the Pythian Sisters; witnessed unveiling of handsome painting on stage by Past Supreme Chief Elizabeth J. Hutchinson of Portland, Maine. Painting presented to Supreme Temple Pythian Sisters and by them placed in custody of Indiana Knights and Pythian Sisters.

14. Heard and approved reports from standing committees and took necessary action on all documents.

15. Adopted appropriation budget for 1930-1931 totalling $35,380.00; fixed per capita tax at $1.80 per year, payable semi-annually.

16. Confirmed reappointment of Grand Tribune Wm. P. Endicott.

17. Installation of officers conducted by Past Grand Chancellor Samuel L. Trabue.

18. Grand Chancellor Dunbar addressed the convention and read appointments.

19. Grand Lodge closed in full form.

Official Record of Proceedings

Indianapolis, Ind., October 7, 1930.

The Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, met in the auditorium of the Indiana Pythian Building at Indianapolis on the above date for the Sixty-second Annual Convention and was called to order by Grand Chancellor Charles S. Loy at 10:00 o'clock a. m. The Grand Lodge was opened in full ritualistic form in the parlors of the auditorium, after which the Grand Lodge officers assumed their stations in the auditorium and the regular business of the Grand Lodge was commenced.

The Grand Keeper of Records and Seal called the roll of Grand Lodge officers, living Past Grand Chancellors, standing and special committees, Supreme Representatives, Grand Tribunes, Deputy Grand Chancellors and was proceeding to call the roll of Grand Representatives when a motion was duly made, seconded and carried to suspend the further calling of the roll inasmuch as a quorum was present.

The Grand Lodge officers were present and at their stations as follows:

Grand Chancellor—Charles S. Loy.
Grand Vice-Chancellor—Dr. C. V. Dunbar.
Grand Prelate—Levi Hooker.
Grand Keeper of Records and Seal—Carl R. Mitchell.
Grand Master of Exchequer—Henry Kammerer.
Grand Master-at-Arms—Edwin R. Thomas.
Grand Inner Guard—Harry C. Sullivan.
Grand Outer Guard—Raymond R. Tash.

The report of the Committee on Credentials was read by the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal:

Document No. 1.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Credentials respectfully reports that we have examined the credentials of representatives elected and appointed by the respective subordinate lodges, as evidenced in the semi-annual reports for the term ending June 30, 1930, and find said credentials to be in proper form. We recommend the admission of said representatives, and that they be paid mileage and per diem for their attendance at this convention of the Grand Lodge.

We have examined the credentials of other members claiming to be entitled to receive the Grand Lodge Rank by having attained the honor of Past Chancellor by virtue of service as Chancellor Commander for one term in their respective lodges, or by election at the institution of a new lodge, or who have served five years as Master of Finance, Master of Exchequer or Keeper of Records and Seal of their subordinate lodge, as required by the Supreme Lodge Statutes, or who have filed Creden-

tials of Honor from other Grand Domains, and we find that such credentials agree with the semi-annual reports for the terms ending December 31, 1929, and June 30, 1930. We therefore recommend that such members be admitted and seated as members of this Grand Lodge.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. WILSON,
JAS. RICHARDS,
NIE VOGHT,
Committee on Credentials.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

The Grand Lodge Rank was then conferred upon those Grand Representatives and Past Chancellors who had not previously received the same.

The Grand Keeper of Records and Seal commenced the reading of the Official Record of Proceedings of the last Grand Lodge convention when on motion of Past Chancellor Roy L. Metsker of No. 51, Lafayette, duly seconded and carried, the record was approved as printed without reading.

The Grand Keeper of Records and Seal officially submitted the printed reports of the Grand Chancellor, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, Grand Master of Exchequer, Grand Lodge Trustees and Pythian Home Board and the special report and findings of the Grand Lodge Committee on Finance, the same having been printed and sent to all lodges and official members of the Grand Lodge in accordance with the Grand Lodge Statutes:

Document No. 2.

Report of Grand Chancellor

Swayzee, Ind., September 5, 1930.

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

My Brothers—Last October you entrusted the leadership of your Order upon me as your Grand Chancellor.

Since that time, I have earnestly endeavored to perform the duties of the office with every atom of ability that I possessed, gave it freely of my time and energy in a sincere effort and endeavor to overthrow the fraternal lethargy so generally evidenced; to re-kindle the Pythian zeal and inspire the fraternal enthusiasm of our membership; to improve the many unsatisfactory conditions of our Order, and to interest the citizens of Indiana in our works and ideals.

I had some conception of the problem, but its magnitude has grown upon me until I confess that I have been able to accomplish but little in comparison with my original aspirations. Economic conditions developed that seriously interfered with our progress and success.

I come to the close of my term with joy of having served a cause I love, mingled with regret that I could not render greater service for the betterment of the Order Knights of Pythias, and submit to you the report of my official acts, hoping for your generous consideration and indulgent approval.

My work has been a fine experience. I have formed many friendships I shall ever prize and whose respect will be lasting joy in my life. I know that all I did was inspired by a sincere effort. I had my heart set upon accomplishing a general revival of the Order Knights of Pythias in the Grand Domain of Indiana. My desire was ever to be your faithful servant and your fellow worker. I have unbounded faith in the future of our beloved Order.

I look forward with confidence that you will carry on that which is worthy of my plan, and that eventually you will reach the goal to which I aspired. The price of the service that I have rendered has been great, but the pleasure of working with men inspired by your ideals has amply repaid every effort and sacrifice.

State of the Order.

Notwithstanding the zealous work and faithful effort of many of our Pythians, this Grand Domain still shows a loss in members, disappointing it is true, but when compared to results in the last seven years, it is encouraging and I hope will be an inspiration to carry on the battle to victory. When I came into office I found so many had seemingly abandoned their lodges or withdrawn their support. Others had become inactive, and large numbers had completely withdrawn from our fold, but following the opening of the state wide campaign, courage arose in the hearts of thousands.

Determination to recover losses, became evident in many lodges. Assistance and co-operation was pledged by thousands of the Pythians of our state. I know many of them did all and more than they thought they could, and others made the honest effort with some degree of success, but you recall "vows are easily made and pledges soon forgotten."

Excellent, effective work, under present adverse conditions has been

productive of proof absolute that lodges can progress and continue to interest their members.

You have heard nothing but constructive optimism from me in written or spoken word. If as much thought were given to constructive planning as in reciting failures and conjuring alibis, we would move forward splendidly. The pessimist is not only unhappy, but makes others miserable.

Grand Lodge Affairs.

The affairs of our Grand Lodge are administered with economy, its records carefully audited and its resources properly safeguarded in a businesslike manner.

I have insisted upon the greatest possible efficiency in every activity of our Order. With the changed economic conditions of our country greater calls can be expected upon us that are really in line with our duties.

There has been complete harmony in the labors of the Board of Directors of the Indiana Pythian Home, the residents of the Home and the several employees.

I call your special attention to the present condition of our Indiana Pythian Building. It has been well kept up; splendid improvements and betterments have been made, amounting to about $5,000 in order to keep abreast of competitive buildings. Ten thousand dollars has been paid upon our indebtedness during the year.

The Trustees and management are to be commended for their efficient operation.

I sincerely wish that every Pythian in our Grand Domain could have the opportunity of participating in the administration of the several departments as I have. Then, I know, that all would discover new joys and would develop greater interest in our many Pythian activities. It is easy to reason the merit of an idea, but it requires real manly determination and ability to accomplish worth while results.

Deputy Grand Chancellors and Officers.

I have had the loyal support and hearty conscientious assistance and services of able Deputies and other officers. Many have shown wonderful leadership producing splendid Pythian activity.

The Order's real benefactors are its brave men, the men who have the soul to dare, the willingness to work for an ideal, and to risk everything for that which they love.

I wish to express my gratitude to each, for every act of service, to commend them for their self-sacrifice and I acknowledge that their cooperation has largely contributed to the fine things that have been accomplished.

District Meetings.

We held twenty-six district meetings, and I made it a part of my duty to call every Pythian to arms, to outline the line of attack on general lethargy and enlist all in fraternal service. Some wonderful inspirational meetings were held. I confidently believe much good was thus accomplished and that the foundation has been laid for state wide universal growth.

At these fine meetings the intermingling of thoughts for the advancement of Pythianism worked greatly to the good of the Order. Each assembly was enthusiastic, and each brother present was urged to rally to the service of our Order by constructive processes.

Page Rank Classes.

The twenty-seven Page Rank class meetings, though generally considered successful, to me were disappointing, for the reason that so few

members assumed personal responsibility for obtaining candidates, but relied upon the other fellow. Then, too, the members were not fully imbued with the necessary confidence to actually try. These efforts were also handicapped by storms, sub-zero weather, icy roads and deep snow.

Page Rank work was given at every meeting, but one, and after the wonderful meeting at Anderson, under the leadership of Deputy Grand Chancellor G. L. Dalrymple, Pythians quite generally took courage and began earnest work.

Ritualistic work in many lodges needs attention. However, this was much improved by these meetings, and now we have some wonderfully efficient rank teams in our Grand Domain. I believe that the zeal evidenced and the enthusiasm shown at these meetings which were carried on into two additional series of meetings in all districts during March and April had a general awakening effect upon our entire membership.

The revival of the Pythian spirit became evident, and was truly very encouraging to me. Lodge activity results from accomplishments of its members. Two or three can produce results.

Many regional meetings were successfully held to complete the work and effect plans for other meetings. It had been my plan to hold a regional meeting in each region on the same day and urge every Pythian in the state to attend such meeting and thus see how large a number of our members would go to lodge on one date. However, I did not seem to be able to find the time to arrange for such a meeting, on account of so many other activities.

The outstanding Page Rank meeting was held at Martinsville, where Pythianism and its activities took possession of the town and all of its citizens. If I did anything that was of value to the Order, the thing, I believe of the greatest moment was the organization of the Golden Anniversary Class at Martinsville, comprising a membership of all Pages initiated in the twentieth district.

Under the leadership of that enthusiastic, zealous and matchless leader, Deputy Grand Chancellor Morse D. Stoker, and the officers of the class, every lodge in the district did splendid work and contributed to the class roll. I am sure that the future of Pythianism in this district is secure, and that for fifty years, at least, it will carry on, led by the finest men in the district. A signal victory over General Lethargy! A proof absolute that "Alibi" is mental and not actual.

Round-up Meetings.

The Rodeos of Friendship were fraternal jubilee meetings, and enabled our membership to express their approval of our efforts, which they did in a marvelous way.

Concerts, drum corps, parades, floats, decorated cities and dramatized and ritualistic work gave the opportunity for the Order to appeal to the children, families, friends and citizens, as well as dormant members. These fifteen meetings were universally acclaimed the outstanding fraternal achievements of the past twenty-five years.

Pythians, accept my gratitude. I know you were all happy in your several achievements and successful demonstrations of Pythian zeal.

State Wide Picnic and Reunion.

July 20, 1930, will long be remembered in Pythian annals as our first state wide meeting held at our Pythian Home. Thousands came though the heat was terrible. The meetings of friends on the beautiful grounds, breaking bread between acquaintances, intimate, fraternal or only casual, was most pleasing. Hospitality, perfect friendships and radiant faces made happiness absolute take control of the day and its program.

How supremely wonderful this gathering would have been had the weather not held away countless thousands. The enthusiasm and con-

fidence engendered cannot be other than beneficial. Those who entertained you gained a strong hold upon the affections of all.

All visitors were justly proud of the Home, made each resident happy by hand clasp and words of cheer, went about viewing the beauty of the landscape, the splendor of the structures and expressed approval of the progress made in the three years of operation.

I refrain from details, and close my comment by summarizing it all as a perfectly glorious, successful day and event.

Legion of Knights.

Believing that the leaders of our Order could bring about any desired worthy result, I drafted one hundred of our capable members into what I termed a Legion of Knights, and asked for assistance in a specified field of endeavor.

I commissioned them as Special Deputy Grand Chancellors, and many of them assumed the task assigned and performed commendable service for the Order.

Many men can do one large thing well if all work earnestly, and I believed conditions warranted me in calling them to the colors.

Appointments.

It became necessary for me to make the following appointments since the last Grand Lodge convention in order to fill vacancies which occurred and I respectfully ask that all such appointments be confirmed:

Walter V. McCullough, Pythagorean Lodge No. 118, Washington, to be Deputy Grand Chancellor for the 21st District, succeeding James Brown, Dugger, deceased.

Harry K. Stroud, Orange Lodge No. 218, Orleans, to be Deputy Grand Chancellor for the 22nd District, succeeding Noble Malott, Tunnelton, resigned.

H. C. Constable, Goodland Lodge No. 141, Goodland, to be Deputy Grand Chancellor for the 5th District, succeeding Omer Cottrell, of Brookston, resigned.

Chester Y. Kelly, Paul Revere Lodge No. 374, Terre Haute, to be Deputy Grand Chancellor for the newly created 27th District.

Clarence Spurgeon, Brownstown Lodge No. 60, Brownstown, to be Deputy Grand Chancellor for the 19th District, succeeding Cash Kern, Brownstown, deceased.

Willard B. Gemmill, Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion, to be Grand Tribune, succeeding Robert W. Harrison of Shelbyville, resigned.

George D. Garber, Olympian Lodge No. 147, North Manchester, to be a member of the committee on mileage and per diem, succeeding Walter V. McCullough of Washington, commissioned Deputy Grand Chancellor.

In order to accomplish the program contemplated in the formation of the Legion of Knights and for various other special services which arose during the year I have issued commissions as Special Deputy Grand Chancellor to the following named officers and members of the Grand Lodge:

Charles L. Pulliam, Paul Revere Lodge No. 374, Terre Haute; John W. Craig, Greensburg Lodge No. 148, Greensburg; Thos. L. Neal, Lebanon Lodge No. 45, Indianapolis; Elmer Bassett, Chillon Lodge No. 129, Shelbyville; Dore B. Erwin, Kekionga Lodge No. 65, Decatur; Nathan J. Lane, Liberty Lodge No. 114, Darlington; Louis B. Elmore, Remington Lodge No. 58, Lafayette; Dolph E. Farr, Fidelity Lodge No. 42, Edinburg; Samuel L. Trabue, Ivy Lodge No. 27, Rushville; Dr. Colin V. Dunbar, 19th Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis; Levi Hooker, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville; Henry Kammerer, Apollo Lodge No. 62, Logansport; Edwin R. Thomas, Phoenix Lodge No. 101, Ft. Wayne; Harry C. Sullivan, Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay; Raymond R. Tash,

Salem Lodge No. 96, Salem; John J. Stilz, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville; Chas. A. Phelps, Crescens Lodge No. 33, Newcastle; Fred E. Swaim, Huntington Lodge No. 93, Huntington; W. W. Crooker, Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville; Fred J. Rhorer, Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion; Allen Moore, Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville; Harry Pipes, Jasonville Lodge No. 501, Jasonville; Carl Harville, Chesterton Lodge No. 442, Chesterton; Geo. E. Hibner, Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City; Jos. H. Stahl, Hetfield Lodge No. 433, Newtown; A. H. Shank, Valentine Lodge No. 378, Albany; Arthur Grube, Auburn Lodge No. 191, Auburn; E. J. Porter, Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington; S. W. Swihart, Elwood Lodge No. 166, Elwood; John Mode, Brookville Lodge No. 76, Brookville; Russell H. Brandt, Chalmers Lodge No. 178, Chalmers; E. F. Bird, Chesterton Lodge No. 442, Chesterton; A. L. Clark, Connersville Lodge No. 11, Connersville; Robt. L. Jones, East Chicago Lodge No. 477, East Chicago; Wm. G. Huckleberry, Apollo Lodge No. 62, Logansport; Geo. F. Gelts, Welcome Lodge No. 37, Muncie; Chas. E. Pommert, Crusade Lodge No. 14, South Bend; Miles Baxter, Auburn Lodge No. 191, Auburn; J. Edw. Hall, Alexandria Lodge No. 335, Alexandria; Dr. E. S. Denbo, Orange Lodge No. 218, Orleans; A. C. Davis, Good Intent Lodge, No. 29, Kokomo; Otto Fullgraff, Center Lodge No. 216, Indianapolis; Thos. J. Sare, Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington; Jno. H. Frank, Lebanon Lodge No. 45, Lebanon; J. Burdette Little, Arion Lodge No. 254, Indianapolis; Reader Smith, Phoenix Lodge No. 101, Ft. Wayne; Jas. I. Peck, Remington Lodge No. 58, Remington; H. B. Pearce, 19th Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis; A. C. Duddleston, Oriental Lodge No. 81, Terre Haute; Jos. M. McCollum, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis; Archibald Hall, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis; M. C. Baumgartner, Eden Lodge No. 99, Worthington; Arthur Ritchie, Camden Lodge No. 332, Camden; Bruce Parcels, 19th Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis; Jno. Leiter, Kendallville Lodge No. 109, Kendallville; Herman Haskins, LaGrange Lodge No. 144, LaGrange; John Cosand, Mooresville Lodge No. 189, Mooresville; Clyde King, LaGrange Lodge No. 144, LaGrange; Monroe Brecheisen, Ossian Lodge No. 343, Ossian; William Stephens, Hammond Lodge No. 210, Hammond; Frank R. McCarter, Fredonia Lodge No. 122, Rochester; Chester M. DeWitt, Crescens Lodge No. 33, Newcastle; Robert G. Miller, Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington; Edgar E. Hite, Greensburg Lodge No. 148, Greensburg; Wm. M. Nauer, Rescue Lodge No. 26, Vernon; Geo. E. Sale, Artesian Lodge No. 388, Warren; Harry G. Barnes, Good Intent Lodge No. 29, Kokomo; Guy Strickler, Center Lodge No. 216, Indianapolis; C. Robt. Mueller, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville; W. F. Qualls, Crusade Lodge No. 14, South Bend; W. B. Wilson, Swayzee Lodge No. 451, Swayzee; James Richards, Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay; Nie Voght, Huntington Lodge No. 93, Huntington; W. V. McCullough, Pythagorean Lodge No. 118, Washington; Frank S. McCarty, Liberty Lodge No. 114, Liberty; W. A. Lower, Kekionga Lodge No. 65, Decatur; Dr. C. S. Green, Ivy Lodge No. 27, Rushville; Samuel E. Garrison, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis; Major Guy M. Duvall, Richmond Lodge No. 8, Richmond; Col. Lee Ellis, Sullivan Lodge No. 85, Sullivan; Col. Geo. T. Bartlett, Hermion Lodge No. 44, Seymour; Guss R. Merritt, Remington Lodge No. 58, Remington; Cortez Knight, Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion; A. O. Cripe, Alexandria Lodge No. 335, Alexandria; Wm. S. Flynn, Indiana Harbor Lodge No. 515, Indiana Harbor; Othniel Hitch, Lafayette Lodge No. 51, Indianapolis; Wm. E. Davis, Lyons Lodge No. 389, Lyons; Dr. C. A. Tindall, Chillon Lodge No. 129, Shelbyville; Merrill E. Wilson, Calanthe Lodge No. 41, Indianapolis; Harry Wade, Lafayette Lodge No. 51, Indianapolis; Chas. F. Remy, Rolla Lodge No. 17, Columbus; L. S. Dixon, Lafayette Lodge No. 51, Lafayette; Roy Metsker, Lafayette Lodge No. 51, Lafayette; Chas. Rothrock, Crescens Lodge No. 33, Newcastle; Jno. Aldred, Lapel Lodge No. 386, Lapel; M. E. Foley, Henry Clay Lodge No. 288, New Richmond; Al Young, Apollo Lodge No. 62, Logansport; Ralph

Allegre, Orange Lodge No. 218, Orleans; Elmer Fusen, Coatesville Lodge No. 391, Coatesville; Donald Gillmore, Banner Lodge No. 416, Anderson.

Publicity.

Realizing the value and importance of publicity of items of interest to the public and information to our membership, such as programs and accomplishments, these were furnished to the press of our state. They very freely gave full accounts of our meetings and activities. I believe this was of great value to our Order. It gives me pleasure to acknowledge on behalf of myself and I believe on behalf of every member of this Grand Lodge Convention, our sincere appreciation for this kindly consideration and splendid treatment by the press.

Pythian Journal.

You are indeed fortunate to have a medium of communication between the officers of the Grand Lodge and your lodges, as well as news of interesting Pythian events in the state. I urge each lodge to send Brother Mitchell accounts of your activities and future plans.

I recommend that at each session of your lodge, the Chancellor Commander read under Special Order items of interest appearing in the Pythian Journal, thus apprising the members assembled as to activities and programs, as well as Pythian news.

A Revival?

Did our Order advance, stand still or recede? The measure is not did we gain or lose members.

The important factor is the Pythian spirit, the zeal and enthusiasm of the members of our several lodges. I am sure you will all concur when I report great improvement in our conditions, renewed determination to go forward, and complete confidence in ultimately recovering all lost ground and conquering new fields.

I have written thousands of personal letters to those reported as suspended, or about to be suspended, and the responses have been most gratifying. The economic conditions will soon right themselves, and then many more reinstatements and applications will be obtained. We can grow even now, if we will.

I believe that each lodge must undertake a constructive program to advance the welfare of the Order, to interest and influence the citizens of our state in the work of Pythianism. Each lodge must broaden its scope of activity, that each member be provided with a task, either fraternal, social or altruistic.

The Problems of Our Order.

After working for the betterment of our Order during the past year among you, I believe I have a pretty fair knowledge of the problems that confront our fraternity.

We must all really work for the welfare of our Order in all of its fields. Forget all past discouragements, and with confidence proven possible by so many lodges, go forth and make your lodge a successful fraternal institution. Every Pythian active, every lodge working and every officer in his proper place.

Remember that confidence is that feeling by which the mind embarks upon a task with sure hope of accomplishing the task attempted.

Organization.

I recommend that each representative give serious consideration of the problems confronting us, assume the leadership in perfecting the

plan for his subordinate lodge, by perfecting an organization that will carry on aggressive work during the coming year.

That in his report, he will show his lodge its duty, explain the advantage and pleasures of an active year's work, arrange for an organization and the perfection of a working plan, inspire confidence in the idea of success as the certain result of a determined effort by a working organization.

The Plan.

The plan I outlined to you last October I would again recommend without qualification other than I would insist upon organization first and completely.

Wherever it was put into practical operation, great growth of membership resulted, and when used intensively, interest and attendance increased.

My Brothers, while much has been accomplished, the necessity for further concerted effort remains, and by letting up now, grave conditions threaten.

The Survey.

I believe each lodge must make a survey, actual and careful, of all of its worthy members, its prospective ones and its financial and social opportunities.

Make complete records of your problems and opportunities, then make a systematic outline of your program. Report this to your Grand Lodge officers and assistance will be given, I am sure.

Enlist all of your members, assign definite tasks to every resident member.

I am unqualifiedly opposed to suspensions, or even dropping the listless or indifferent. Once a Pythian, always a Pythian. One of your problems is to make them patriotic Pythians. You say we have tried, and it can't be done. I answer it can be done. I know you have the ability, if you have the willingness.

I have succeeded in enlisting thousands, and surely you can enlist your friends closely associated with you. America is going through a change of thought. Her machine age is creating materialists, but I am sure noble manhood will assert itself in building a finer fraternal spirit in the very near future.

Indiana Pythians own more property than any other Grand Domain. Our possessions create responsibilities that must have our attention and consideration in properly caring for them and making the best use possible of them for the purposes intended.

When all plans have been made, organization perfected, survey completed, carry out a successful year's work and complete the work you began, and vindicate my aspiration. May my hopes become realities.

Seriousness of Carelessness.

I frequently earnestly tried to impress upon your officers the seriousness of carelessness in the operation of the affairs of their lodges. I have hundreds of letters from all sections of our country asking for advice as to membership rights. If our officers will but assume these responsibilities, learn their duties, accept the leadership, carry into execution our laws, teach our principles, then, and not until then, will our hopes and ideals result, our reputation be improved and our fortune achieved.

Reinstatements.

The lodges did not generally believe it possible to reinstate its former members, but as time went by many learned the truth of "once a Pythian, always a Pythian." Had lodges acted upon this plan, thousands more would have been reenlisted in our Fraternity. I hope that during

your coming year's work, those lodges that did not give favorable consideration to thus strengthening our Order and hold upon the citizens of Indiana will reinstate every worthy former member.

I do not concur in the prevalent idea that a member who did not pay his dues during the past seven years is not interested in Pythianism, and that we do not want an unpatriotic Pythian. Mayhap, we were somewhat to blame, or if we knew the full truth we would not cast the stone.

Honest Effort.

I appealed to the Grand Lodge convention last year for their assistance by making an honest effort to replace the Order in its proper place and condition. Thousands responded by delivering to me their written pledges. Then, so many made proof that "pledges are easily made and soon forgotten." But, many, very many, were true, constant and loyal, and made the honest effort and did yeoman service in aiding me to rekindle the zeal and enthusiasm of our membership.

I called to your attention the crisis we faced and the challenge to Pythianism, and appealed to you for willing, conscientious work. Some sections responded splendidly and proved beyond argument that success can be attained by any lodge if it really desires to do so.

Many accomplished their pledge with heaped and running over measures. How I appreciate their honest effort. I am unable to find language to express my gratitude.

The man who "gets there" is the man who strikes while the iron is hot. The man who attempts to argue all the way will fail. Dare and Do does the impossible.

Difficulties are always their worst in perspective and when the tasks were met squarely, victory was easy and exceeded my highest hopes.

Roll of Honor.

I want to announce that though many members of the Order have rendered excellent service for Pythianism during my term, the following brothers have achieved such outstanding results by securing fifteen or more additions to our Order in my State Wide Campaign, that I am happy to express my appreciation to them by engrossing their names upon a Roll of Honor:

Applegate, Elmer S. ..... Morgan Lodge No. 431, Paragon
Allison, V. T. ..... Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville
Allen, Ernest ..... Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville
Ball, Wm. ..... Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion
Dewitt, Chester M. ..... Crescens Lodge No. 33, New Castle
Dalrymple, L. E. ..... Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Knightstown
Dalrymple, R. B. ..... Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Knightstown
Dittemore, Bert ..... Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport
Francesconi, Albert M. ..... Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville
Gillmore, Basil L. ..... Banner Lodge No. 416, Anderson
Gilbert, Roy ..... Straughn Lodge No. 331, Straughn
Hatfield, Peter A. ..... Star City Lodge No. 427, Star City
Harter, H. S. ..... Centerville Lodge No. 154, Centerville
Knight, Cortez ..... Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion
Maick, August M. ..... Welcome Lodge No. 37, Muncie
Mould, A. ..... Auburn Lodge No. 191, Auburn
Mitchell, Carl R. ..... Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville
Miller, T. R. ..... Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport
Miller, Arthur ..... Crusade Lodge No. 14, South Bend
Phillabaum, Ralph ..... Sunlight Lodge No. 190, Pennville
Pierce, O. O. ..... Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville
Rathburn, Darwin ..... Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington
Sullivan, H. C. ..... Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay
Stuehrk, John J. ..... Tell City Lodge No. 203, Tell City
Shiflet, David ..... Occidental Lodge No. 18, Terre Haute
Stoker, M. D. ..... Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville
Swain, F. E. ..... Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport
Stine, Noah ..... Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport
Smith, R. C. ..... Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport
Tousey, Albert ..... Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville
Thompson, J. W. ..... Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport

Cordell, Norris G. .....Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville
Wilson, Edson .....Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville
Ridenour, Wilbur .....Calanthe Lodge No. 41, Goshen
Rogers, Harold E. .....Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville
Walker, H. T. .....Montpelier Lodge No. 188, Montpelier
Pease, W. M. .....Geneva Lodge No. 514, Geneva
Green, C. F. .....Geneva Lodge No. 514, Geneva
Davidson, Sante .....Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville
Farmer, W. L. .....Banner Lodge No. 416, Anderson
Haase, Earl .....Victor Lodge No. 553, Clinton
Jacot, Russell .....Buck Creek Lodge No. 497, Buck Creek
Rutenburg, Max .....19th Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis
Wiebe, Jos. E. .....Dale Lodge No. 284, Dale

Conspicuous Service.

Many loyal Pythians made "The Honest Effort" that I asked for in my State Wide Campaign, and were not so outstandingly successful in securing fifteen additions to our Order, but did splendid work.

Therefore, I am pleased to acknowledge conspicious service to our Order by the following named brothers:

Alexander, Earl .....Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.
Allegre, E. R. .....Orange Lodge No. 218, Orleans.
Baxter, Miles .....Auburn Lodge No. 191, Auburn.
Baumgartner, M. C. .....Eden Lodge No. 99, Spencer.
Byers, Howard .....Burney Lodge No. 341, Burney.
Branigan, C. L. .....Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion.
Bray, Oscar .....Monrovia Lodge No. 502, Monrovia.
Crawford, Clifford E. .....Shield Lodge No. 71, Frankfort.
Dropsey, Frank E. .....Corydon Lodge No. 79, Corydon.
Doyle, Howard .....Wayne Lodge No. 393, West Point.
Farr, Dolph E. .....Fidelity Lodge No. 42, Edinburg.
Gillmore, Donald R. .....Banner Lodge No. 416, Anderson.
Heller, Robt. .....Gary Lodge No. 541, Gary.
Hunt, Paul .....Rescue Lodge No. 26, Vernon.
Hocker, Joe .....Elwood Lodge No. 166, Elwood.
Johnson, Edw. E. .....Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.
Kitchen, Theron .....Ft. Wayne Lodge No. 116, Ft. Wayne.
Lynn, James F. .....Wabash Lodge No. 140, Wabash.
LeRoy, Harry .....Hammond Lodge No. 210, Hammond.
Meadors, Muriel .....Salem Lodge No. 96, Salem.
Melson, A. C. .....Hercules Lodge No. 127, Peru.
Mellor, W. H. .....Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City.
Ott, Harvey T. .....Wolf Lodge No. 397, Wolf Lake.
Root, H. P. .....Letts Lodge No. 357, Letts.
South, Harry .....Capital City Lodge No. 97, Indianapolis.
Sutherlin, Earl .....Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington.
Thompson, E. P. .....LaPorte Lodge No. 112, LaPorte.
Tilford, B. W. .....Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville.
Robinson, Harris B. .....Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington.
Will, E. J. .....Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City.
Wanner, J. L. .....Banner Lodge No. 416, Anderson.
Wheeler, Walter E. .....Westfield Lodge No. 395, Westfield.
Weatherholt, Josh .....Lake Mill Lodge No. 181, Rockport.
Cozad, Chas. .....Oxford Lodge No. 187, Oxford.
Condra, Harvey .....Pluto Lodge No. 509, French Lick.
Cartwright, Wilbert .....Jennings Lodge No. 418, Charlestown.
Cathcart, J. W. .....Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City.
Kombs, Wm. C. .....Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City.
Hansen, O. H. .....Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City.
DeMoss, Vernon .....Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City.
Burkett, Levi .....Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City.
Hartsell, Joe .....Indiana Harbor Lodge No. 515, Ind. Harbor.
Taggart, H. F. .....Letts Lodge No. 357, Letts.
Hooker, Levi .....Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.
Gough, Roy L. .....Crescens Lodge No. 33, New Castle.
Creech, Fred .....Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington.
Bender, Raymond .....Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington.
Peters, Walter W. .....Ivy Lodge No. 27, Rushville.
Raquet, Frank .....Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion.
Muterspaugh, M. E. .....Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Knightstown.
Deem, M. M. .....Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Knightstown.
Tice, N. G. .....Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Knightstown.

I am glad to recognize that all of these brothers and hundreds of others succeeded in making delivery of their promise in their pledge by

securing three, four or five, or even more additions to the Order, and I gladly express my commendation for their effort and commend their meritorious service.

Honor Lodges.

The lodges listed below joined earnestly in the State Wide Campaign, and have added fifteen or more to their roster. I am truly grateful for the loyalty shown by their officers and members:

Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville.
Crusade Lodge No. 14, South Bend.
Occidental Lodge No. 18, Terre Haute.
Eureka Lodge No. 20, Greenfield.
Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington.
Ivy Lodge No. 27, Rushville.
Crescens Lodge No. 33, New Castle.
Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.
Welcome Lodge No. 37, Muncie.
Shield Lodge No. 71, Frankfort.
Elkhart Lodge No. 75, Elkhart.
Red Cross Lodge No. 88, Portland.
Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville.
Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City.
Salem Lodge No. 96, Salem.
Capital City Lodge No. 97, Indianapolis.
Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion.
LaPorte Lodge No. 112, LaPorte.
Ft. Wayne Lodge No. 116, Ft. Wayne.
Thorntown Lodge No. 124, Thorntown.
Wabash Lodge No. 140, Wabash.
Greensburg Lodge No. 148, Greensburg.
Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay
Centerville Lodge No. 154, Centerville.
Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport.
Elwood Lodge No. 166, Elwood.
Montpelier Lodge No. 188, Montpelier.
Auburn Lodge No. 191, Auburn.
Tell City Lodge No. 203, Tell City.
Hammond Lodge No. 210, Hammond.
Hazel Lodge No. 217, Clinton.
Albion Lodge No. 223, Albion.
Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Knightstown.
Greenwood Lodge No. 238, Greenwood.
Cortland Lodge No. 260, Cortland.
Dale Lodge No. 284, Dale.
Sandborn Lodge No. 302, Sandborn.
Straughn Lodge No. 331, Straughn.
Letts Lodge No. 357, Letts.
Paul Revere Lodge No. 374, Terre Haute.
Lapel Lodge No. 386, Lapel.
Banner Lodge No. 416, Anderson.
Morgan Lodge No. 431, Paragon.
Mishawaka Lodge No. 453, Mishawaka.
19th Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis.
East Chicago Lodge No. 477, E. Chicago.
Monrovia Lodge No. 502, Monrovia.
Pluto Lodge No. 509, French Lick.
Geneva Lodge No. 514, Geneva.
Gary Lodge No. 541, Gary.
Clifton Lodge No. 544, Indianapolis.
Victor Lodge No. 553, Clinton.

The following lodges made creditable showings:

Fidelity Lodge No. 42, Edinburg.
Lafayette Lodge No. 51, Lafayette.
Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis.
Eden Lodge No. 99, Spencer.
Fremont Lodge No. 261, Fremont.
Medaryville Lodge No. 392, Medaryville.
Star City Lodge No. 427, Star City.

Every lodge that adopted the plan of our State Wide Campaign in all of its details succeeded.

Those that made no organized and concerted effort did not accomplish anything of value.

Pythian Sisters.

It has been my purpose to aid and promote every department and auxiliary of our Order. The Pythian Sisters have been very helpful in many of our meetings and I found that they can always be relied upon to aid in every Pythian activity. I have been happy to find that a number of subordinate lodges desire to have a Temple established in their Castle Halls, and have reported such fact to the proper officers.

I believe it is propitious at this time that they join with us in our splendid work of Charity and Benevolence at "The Home." I recommend that arrangements be made so that the Temple sessions and our Grand Lodge conventions can be held contemporaneously, and that the Knights of Pythias provide adequate quarters for their sessions. There are many good reasons for this being done, but one of the most essential being to enable them to join with us in our annual trip to Lafayette to visit our brothers, their wives, widows and our orphans who are residents at the Home, and to inspect our property.

I am sure a large majority of their members desire to join with us in our splendid work and we should be happy to have them aid in our charitable ministrations.

DR. COLIN V. DUNBAR
GRAND CHANCELLOR
1930-1931

Military Department.

The Army of the Lily has been loyal and contributed to the activities of the several lodges, and special credit is due Success Company at Seymour for their patriotism.

The National Encampment at Cedar Point was a happy event and I am informed that Indiana contributed at least one-third of those that attended.

I have subscribed to its teachings, and mean to be loyal to its ideals and cheerfully lend my influence for its advancement.

Princes of Syracuse.

Truth, Honor and Obedience are cardinal virtues that should be implanted in the minds and hearts of our youth, and such service should appeal to men, taught as are Pythians.

You have an opportunity of paving the way for a cleaner young manhood and providing a recruiting station of selected young men for your several subordinate lodges by instituting and maintaining Palaces of the Junior Order, the Princes of Syracuse.

Our youth craves this new field of activity. We have a duty to perform and owe the future of our Order a responsibility we can ill afford to shirk.

The perpetuation of fraternity in America rests upon the inspiration and education of the youth in our teachings and ideals.

D. O. K. K.

The splendid pep and enthusiasm of the members of the Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan is always noticeable wherever I have met my brothers wearing the Fez.

Though looked upon as the Playground of Pythianism, do not forget their teachings are apt, "lift up the fallen," and your affiliation with them is worth your while.

The Drum Corps of Shambah Temple No. 139 has been unusually helpful, and have ever been ready and willing to assist and come without cost at many meetings during this Grand Lodge year.

It can truthfully be said of them, fine work, freely furnished by fine fellows.

I was, indeed, happy to join them and contribute to their expenses in their trip to Springfield, Ohio, where more honor was received by Indiana Pythians.

Bureau of Relief.

Brother Harry South, secretary of the Bureau of Relief, is a living example of Pythian Charity, Mercy and Service, and he and his Committee make words an inadequate effort to express my appreciation.

Insurance Department.

I have always been interested in making provision for the protection of those dependent upon us.

I hope the severance of our Insurance Department will not be the cause of us losing any material number of members. Possibly their enlarged powers will enable them to perform other services for the Order that made them possible.

I can see no further necessity of a committee on Insurance Department, and have recommended the amendment of our statutes accordingly.

Pythian Home.

At the Grand Lodge Convention in 1924, legislation was enacted creating our Indiana Pythian Home. For twenty-two months, the officers were engaged in a campaign to raise $200,000.00 which was accomplished July 29, 1926.

On October 4, 1926, the corner stone was laid, and this beautiful temple of Charity and Benevolence was erected and on August 10, 1927, the structure was dedicated, an exemplification of the practical applications of the teachings of the Order Knights of Pythias.

On December 1, 1927, the portals were thrown open to those entitled to our ministration, and residents were admitted, that they might partake of the joys and happiness held out to our membership by the ideals taught; that the members might realize the pleasure and satisfaction and realization of their hopes and dreams.

Our Pythian Friendship brings comfort and cheer to many of our aged brothers, their wives and widows, during their later days, thus dispelling the shadows, lifting the gloom, creating contentment of mind and peace of soul.

Our hearts are thrilled with the conscious assurance that we are making our orphaned boys and girls happy, daily contributing to their preparation for the battle of life, doing a true brother's duty in making worthy men and noble women of them. Their smiles are a benediction, their laughter is glorious music to our ears, their development brings keen satisfaction for our labors, their achievements will be ample compensation for our service.

Our ritual teaches these responsibilities, our obligations bind us to the performance of these duties. Let us willingly and gladly "arise and build" true to every call of a fine Pythianism.

The tender chords of sympathy that reach from hand to heart are the silver threads that interlace Pythianism with the highest conception of Fraternal Love.

We must recognize that each Pythian is the guardian of the children entrusted to our care, and that our duty is practical as well as ideal. The privilege of contributing to the Home, in assisting large numbers of children to achieve victory in life's battle should inspire in us greater interest and activity in our lodges, cheerful response to the appeals for assistance and co-operation.

You have a basic investment of about $350,000.00 in your Home project, consisting of grounds, buildings and equipment, and the farm stock and supplies. This is, indeed, a most splendid plant for the production of health, happiness and contentment.

I ask you to look at this property as if it were your own home, consider every phase of the appointments, gaze at the beautiful surroundings and note the flowers, trees and general landscape. View the farm buildings and stock: all has been done by you for those you wish to make happy. Do you approve?

If the past has not measured up to our hopes, let the failures be buried memories. Make the future dividends large, by rekindling the fires of good will, and the inspiration for unselfish service.

Pythianism is that force that raises the standard of morality, creates true friendships, soothes the rugged path of existence, instills hope to the disconsolate, inspires charity and benevolence. Are you a Pythian?

Pythianism teaches virtue, arouses sympathy, increases affection and encourages benevolent conduct. Let the sunlight of your Pythian Love bring joy and peace to those dependent upon us.

It is the duty of every representative and should be his pleasure to visit and inspect the Home, during the Grand Lodge Convention, and report fully to his lodge as to its management and services.

Permanent Trust Fund.

When I assumed office there was no arrangement to create an Endowment Fund for the perpetuation of our Indiana Pythian Home. There being no fixed objective for such a fund, the Board of Directors voted to create a Permanent Trust Fund, the principal to remain intact as a trust fund and to be loaned and the income therefrom to be placed in the general fund to reduce per capita tax costs. Said fund is not to be disturbed unless extraordinary conditions necessitated so doing when said Board of Directors might vote to expend the same.

Special items have found their way into this fund until on June 30th it had reached the sum of $1,308.74. One bequest of $750 has already been received.

I am anxious that we largely perpetuate our Home by our Permanent Trust Fund plan, and hope that we will soon have $250,000. We can do so if all will strive earnestly to build it up by the several methods herein set out and which I recommend:

First: By contributions from lodges.

Second: By contributions from members, as gifts or by bequests in testamentary disposition of their property.

Third: By every member joining in our foil campaign.

In this manner I hope and honestly believe that we will endow our wonderful and beautiful Home in ten years with a trust fund of at least $250,000. Will you give this your earnest support and become personally active and enlist others to strive for this goal?

I wish to impress upon you, my brothers, the importance of anticipating and preparing for any extraordinary need or contingency that might arise in the future in our charitable work.

I would recommend that a resolution be enacted authorizing and directing your trustees to contribute annually out of the rents of the Indiana Pythian Building, the sum of $2,500.00 into the Permanent Trust Fund.

Foil Campaign.

The Board of Directors of the Pythian Home adopted a plan to augment the Permanent Trust Fund by the saving and collection of foil, such as tin, lead and aluminum, as well as other waste and by-products of value. Letters have gone to each lodge and some progress has been made.

To make this effort an outstanding success and realize large sums therefrom, 100 per cent organization is essential.

Appoint committees to arrange receptacles, collect semi-monthly the accumulation, etc., and then ship to the Indiana Pythian Home when large quantities have been accumulated.

There can be added anything of value that could be used at your home in the shape of foodstuffs, clothing, good books, etc. Be sure it will be used and appreciated.

Your Christmas contributions made happy those you are caring for. Never discontinue this service.

Classes in My Honor.

The fraternal life of man requires action, the welfare of his lodge requires constancy, and the fruitfulness of the relation and service results in happiness through true friendships.

With a feeling of gratitude unexpressible, do I extend my appreciation for the distinction of having had several fine classes of Pages named in my honor.

These were sincere acts of commendation for my Pythian service, truly a flower on earth grown on Pythian love.

Faith in our fellow is the mainspring of all fraternal enterprise.

In Memoriam.

The finest sentiment which honors man is to hold sacred the memory of the dead.

Death has darkened the homes of many of our brothers throughout our Grand Domain. Many have answered to the call of the Chancellor of the Universe. Let us recall their kindnesses, their service to their homes, lodges and country, and cherish their loyalty to our ideals. The death of Brother Wm. A. Morris, P. S. R., was a personal loss to us all.

Brothers James Brown and Cash Kern, Deputy Grand Chancellors, and members of the families of others closely associated with me have departed this life.

Those of us who enjoyed the personal friendship and confidence of these departed ones are in these deaths truly bereaved.

We all extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved, comfort them with the knowledge that their Pythian service has enshrined them in the hearts of the members of the Order, and assure them that God and His promises will bring consolation.

It is with great pleasure that I acknowledge the faithful and effective services of these officers, my truly beloved brothers.

Miscellaneous.

Promotion of Ritualistic Officers.

Whereas, the Supreme Lodge did not enact a statute authorizing the appointment of certain subordinate lodge officers, I recommend that the several lodges abandon the promotion of Ritualistic Officers from Outer Guard to Chancellor Commander, but begin such promotion only from the office of Prelate. This seems necessary since the officers are elected for a calendar year.

Instruction of New Members.

I urge every Knight who obtained a friend's application to assume the responsibility of fully instructing the new member on the subjects of organization, departments, auxiliaries and teachings of the Order Knights of Pythias and including the workings of the lodge and the unwritten work. Upon the receipt of Candidate Coupons, I mailed more than a thousand letters commending affiliation with us, and enclosed a symposium of our Order. I tried, thus, to do all in my power to acquaint the new members with our purposes, and ideals, their duties and opportunities, as well as welcome them into our Order. All are familiar with the Pythian law on the subject which should never be neglected.

New Supreme Lodge Laws.

The Recent Supreme Lodge enacted laws that should have your consideration.

A. Five members shall constitute a quorum of a subordinate lodge. This automatically changes your by-laws, but in future revisions you should conform thereto.

B. Subordinate Lodges may now have five copies of the printed rituals.

C. The revision of subordinate ritual consisting of the re-arrangement thereof and the elimination of useless unwritten work, as well as some other changes.

D. Making the payment of dues, fines and assessments necessary to be in good standing.

E. Two-thirds affirmative vote necessary to reinstate a former member, provided, when applicant was suspended from lodge other than

the one reinstating him the same provisions apply as in Ranks of Knighthood.

F. Divorcing the Insurance Department from the Order.

Other matters and things of minor interest all of which will be reported in detail.

Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S.

Friendly co-operation, with mutual confidence engenders success, and produces true friendship.

Because of the loyalty and faith I had in your capable Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, Carl R. Mitchell, I submitted many of my plans and hopes to him for approval and have freely accepted his assistance.

I have found him a truly wonderful Pythian, a loyal, dependable friend. The fraternal bond has so closely bound us as brothers that the severance of the close and frequent contact at the end of my term as Grand Chancellor will be a great loss to me. He is a prince among men, and you and I have found him a lover of good men engaged in noble work.

He has ever been ready to help me. Every request has had cheerful response and careful consideration. I have taxed his time and energy.

All good wishes for him and his, is my earnest prayer.

Conclusion.

I gratefully acknowledge the many generous words of encouragement, the many acts of kindness accorded me, as well as the confidence reposed in me.

My official relations with my fellow officers, past and present, have ever been perfectly harmonious and extremely pleasant, and whatever small amount of good has been accomplished is largely due to their unselfish co-operation.

I express my deep appreciation to every lodge that I visited, in district convention, Page Rank meeting or rodeo of friendship, for the splendid reception accorded me, the prompt preparation for the entertainment and the hospitality to the visiting Knights, and the efficient manner in which the meetings were conducted.

I transmit to my many good friends the unfinished task I took up, and urge every Pythian to "Arise and Build."

Very fraternally yours,

Charles S. Loy

Grand Chancellor.

Document No. 3.

Report of Grand Keeper of Records and Seal

Indianapolis, September 10, 1930.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Dear Brothers: I am pleased to submit for your approval, the sixty-second annual report of the office of Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, covering the fiscal year ending June 30th. 1930.

State of Order.

The improvement in the state of the Order during the year has been very gratifying. Especially in the records of the six months ending June 30, 1930, are to be found striking examples of noteworthy accomplishment. One by one have the subordinate lodges chipped from within the shells of inaction and indifference and emerged triumphant to enjoy seasons of commendable growth.

Lodge after lodge this year is in the active list, meaning that new members have been initiated, former members have been reinstated, dues of delinquent members have been collected, ritualistic teams have brushed up on their parts and the business, social and fraternal affairs of the lodge have had better attention than in years. Lodges have initiated classes of Pages this year, which had long since ceased to even invite anyone to join. Reinstatements have been available for the asking, for the reason that lodges have shown activity which has created in former Pythians a desire to get back into the fellowship of tried and true friends.

The composite statistical report of the subordinate lodges for the two terms comprising the period from July 1, 1929, to June 30, 1930, does not show a net gain in membership for the year as had been hoped by the officers and members alike throughout the Domain. However, there has been such distinct improvement as compared to the record for each of the seven lean years immediately preceding this year that there is good cause for exaltation.

The first half of the fiscal year, the six months ending December 31, 1929, resulted in a loss, but in a loss which was six hundred lower than the loss for the corresponding period of the previous year. This was due in large measure to the unusually vigorous attention given to the matter of collecting delinquent dues which automatically decreased the number liable to suspension for non-payment of dues.

The record for the first six months of 1930 comprising the last half of the fiscal year, exclusive of losses incident to consolidation of lodges and surrender of charters, came excitingly close to entering the gain column. The net result of the year is an improvement of almost two thousand as compared to the record for one year ago and to the average for the seven lean years to which such forceful attention was called by Grand Chancellor Loy in his inaugural message one year ago.

The records permit no other analysis than that the Order of Knights of Pythias in Indiana has made a nice gain this year and to those conversant with the affairs of lodges and kindred organizations such an achievement is nothing short of remarkable.

The achievement has not come about by accident. It has been brought about by the aggressive, energetic, farseeing leadership of Grand Chancellor Charles S. Loy. To his efficient leadership is to be added the loyal co-operation and vigorous efforts of an excellent corps of District Deputies and fellow workers in the Grand Lodge and throughout

the subordinate lodges. Never before have indifference, carelessness, inefficiency and kindred diseases of lodge activity felt such stinging blows administered by real workers. Nothing in a generation has done so much to put vim, vigor and vitality into our subordinate lodges as the achievements of this year.

In all fairness, it must be said that not every subordinate lodge has participated in the growth and progress of the year. Many have not done so. Many lodges are on the delinquent list, having failed to submit semi-annual reports or pay per capita tax.

Several lodges should have had their charters forfeited and their affairs closed up during the year, a process which could not be carried out because the Grand Lodge officers were entirely too busy working with the live and progressing lodges.

More than one lodge failed to grasp its opportunities, failed to apply the same methods which were winning success in neighboring lodges, failed of making any progress whatever during the year because of the inability or unwillingness to shake off the clutches of inaction.

In all fairness, too, it must be said that more than one lodge has been tremendously handicapped this year because of the prevalence of exceptionally unsatisfactory economic and financial conditions in their respective communities. These conditions were unfavorable in all parts of the state and the excellent record made in the face of these serious handicaps becomes all the more remarkable.

District Meetings, Page Rank Classes, Other Events.

Charlie Loy had his year's program under way six hours before he was installed as Grand Chancellor when, at the Wednesday morning session of the Grand Lodge Convention, more than seven hundred Knights pledged their best efforts to enlist or re-enlist three men into Pythian fellowship without delay. The enthusiasm engendered in that hour did not wane during the succeeding year. The new Grand Chancellor announced the creation of twenty-six Pythian Districts and a District Meeting for the purpose of organization was held in each District as rapidly as possible after Grand Lodge, covering the period from October 21st to November 29th.

At all of these meetings, plans were formulated for District Page Rank classes during the months of January and February. At the District Meeting at Terre Haute, the Thirteenth District was divided and a Twenty-seventh District created so that twenty-seven Page Rank classes were held during the period ending February 27th. Believing that the lodges were only beginning to realize their possibilities, the Grand Chancellor arranged and held two further series of District Page Rank classes during March and April, making a total of about 115 district assemblies.

During the first round of District Meetings, the old order of things prevailed and the members came to the District Meeting more out of force of habit than anything else. From this point on, however, things began to get into full swing and it was a different story. Men became enthused over the possibilities of real efforts toward a common goal, and the Grand Chancellor's oft repeated assertion, "nothing succeeds like success," was demonstrated over and over. Attendance increased at the various meetings and assemblies until at the final roundup meetings durings the month of June the attendance of more than three hundred was not uncommon and in one instance over a thousand Knights assembled to witness the Knighting of a class.

The possibilities of organized effort are fully illustrated in the signal success won during the year in Anniversary Lodge No. 89, of Martinsville, where a net gain of 139 was recorded for the six months ending June 30th. This splendid accomplishment had its inception in the plans developed by the lodge to observe the fiftieth anniversary of the lodge on February 19th. After setting a goal of fifty applicants, one for each

year of the lodge's existence, such a high pitch of interest was aroused that not fifty but 106 applications were on file at the time of the anniversary celebration. Several of this number were by reinstatement and card, and others who made application were not present for initiation on the night of the celebration, but an organization was formed that night, of approximately eighty men, composing the Golden Anniversary Page Rank Class of the Twentieth District. Officers were elected and plans were laid immediately for continued efforts not only by the members of lodges in this District, but by the newly initiated Pages. Several members of this class brought in applications to their respective lodges before they themselves had received the rank of Esquire or the rank of Knight. Through the direct efforts of the Golden Anniversary Page Rank Class, upward of three hundred applications for initiation and reinstatement have been secured in the lodges of that District.

Consolidations—Charters Surrendered.

During the fiscal year ending one year ago, thirteen lodges either merged with others or gave up their charters. The fiscal year just ended was equally unlucky in that respect when four lodges gave up their charters and nine others consolidated. The four lodges lost by surrender of charter caused little actual loss to the Pythian structure inasmuch as these lodges had not functioned in any way for several years.

While one or two of the consolidations were little better than outright surrender of charter in the final analysis, most of the consolidations were definitely beneficial to all concerned. Two were city consolidations, St. George Lodge No. 143, joined with Orion Lodge No. 35 to form one strong Pythian organization in Evansville. Irvington Lodge No. 324, Indianapolis, saw an advantage in merging with a stronger lodge down town and consolidated with Capital City Lodge No. 97, thus eliminating one lodge from the residential section of Indianapolis. The consolidation of Hartsville Lodge No. 162 with Greensburg Lodge No. 148, was effected without loss of a single member.

Beyond any question the process of consolidation will continue for another year or two and the net result should be to strengthen rather than to weaken the Order in this Grand Domain.

Bank Bond.

The protection afforded under the Form C, or Bank Bond to subordinate lodges whose funds are tied up in the closing of depository banks, continues to be a matter of interest and importance throughout the Grand Domain. This protection was obtained by the Grand Lodge officers after several years of effort and has already been the means of saving several lodges from financial disaster. The cost to the subordinate lodge is forty cents per hundred per year and while it has not been the desire of the Grand Lodge to force this protection upon unwilling lodges, it has been and is the view of the officers of the Grand Lodge, that at this moderate cost, every subordinate lodge in this Grand Domain should have at least a moderate amount of protection.

This bond, together with the fidelity bond covering the financial officers of the subordinate lodges, expires on March 11th of each year. Studying the schedule of protection of the several lodges preparatory to renewing the bond in March of this year, the Grand Lodge officers reached the conclusion that hardly any subordinate lodge had sufficient protection under the bank bond and a general increase of one hundred, two hundred and three hundred dollars to each schedule was ordered for the various lodges, depending upon the size and financial conditions. The invoices for the annual premium on the bank bond and on the fidelity bond included this increase wherever made, and to this date, no criticism has been received and the many expressions of commendation make the Grand Lodge officers feel their sincere desire to assist the lodges in safeguarding their funds is appreciated.

More than one sound financial institution has been forced to close its doors through causes over which the officers and directors of the bank had no control and for which they could in no way be blamed. The closing of a weak bank sometimes starts a run on a strong bank and it is forced to close in self-protection. Whatever the cause of closing, the funds of the lodge on deposit in the bank are tied up and the purpose of the bond is to make some at least of the funds available for immediate use, allowing the bonding company to make recovery later from the receiver in a process which usually extends over a long period of time.

Fire Losses.

Two subordinate lodges suffered from disastrous fires during the year. It was the second experience for Mystic Lodge No. 23 of Harrodsburg. After the Castle Hall owned by the lodge burned some months ago, the lodge occupied the lodge room of the I. O. O. F. Lodge at Harrodsburg, pending either the erection of a new building or the purchase of property and during their tenancy with the I. O. O. F., the latter's building burned to the ground, destroying the new charter and some other property of Mystic Lodge.

Amity Lodge No. 362, Galveston, lost its splendid Castle Hall and almost all the contents, in a fire which destroyed the entire building including the business room on the ground floor. Neither was this the first experience for Amity Lodge in this respect, a similar fire having destroyed the building owned by the lodge some years ago. It is expected the building will be rebuilt within a short time and for the present the lodge is enjoying the hospitality of a sister organization. Both lodges will request the issuance of a new charter to replace those destroyed by fire and Vincennes Lodge No. 47, Vincennes, will request the issuance of a charter on account of the consolidation of Dioscuri Lodge No. 47 and Corner Stone Lodge No. 526 under the new name.

The Ediphone.

Only those who are in close contact with the Grand Lodge office together with the subordinate lodge officers and Deputies who have been on the receiving end during the year, can appreciate the vast amount of clerical work that has been handled since last Grand Lodge. The intensive campaign conducted throughout the year by Grand Chancellor Loy and which has produced such splendid results, necessitated the preparation and mailing of many thousands of personal letters, form letters, packages of printed matter and all forms of communications, both from the Grand Lodge office and from the Grand Chancellor's office at Swayzee.

Brother Loy has long had his law office equipped with a dictating machine, without which he would have been unable during his year as Grand Chancellor to have conducted one-fourth the correspondence that he has been able to get out with the use of the machine. Before many months, it became apparent that such equipment in the Grand Lodge office at Indianapolis would not be a luxury but a necessity and a well paying investment.

After careful investigation and thorough trial, the Grand Lodge Trustees and the Finance Committee authorized the purchase of an Ediphone, complete in three units, one for recording, another for transcribing and a third for shaving the cylinders for re-use. This equipment represented an investment of four hundred and ninety dollars. The use of the Ediphone makes unnecessary the employment of extra stenographic help for which provision was made in the appropriation last year and with the approval of the Grand Lodge Trustees and Finance Committee, the purchase price of the Ediphone was charged against the appropriation for clerical help so that in one sense it does not represent any actual cost to the Grand Lodge for equipment. More than that, it

will be possible to reduce the annual appropriation for clerical help in the Grand Lodge office by an amount equal to, if not greater than the cost of the machine, so that it can be said that this machine will save its original cost every year that it is operated.

The saving and advantage is not all financial. Its use permits greater accuracy in correspondence and documentary work. It almost doubles the amount of work that a stenographer can do as she does not lose time taking dictation in shorthand and then transcribing it. After getting one or two cylinders ready for the stenographer, the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal can continue dictation throughout an entire day and the stenographer will be busy transcribing letters the entire time without loss of time to either. The action of the Grand Lodge Trustees and the Finance Committee in authorizing the purchase of this equipment is appreciated very much.

Grand Lodge Building—Auditorium.

Building manager, John H. Frank, has handled the business affairs of the Indiana Pythian Building skillfully and intelligently in the face of increasingly adverse rental conditions in the city of Indianapolis, due largely to an over supply of office buildings. He is ever alert to the possibilities of acquiring additional desirable tenants and no one could be more zealous in safeguarding the rights of the Grand Lodge as owners of the building in the details of its management than he. He has been careful to keep the operating cost at a very minimum and at the same time, has effected improvements to the building, interior and exterior, which have added immensely to its appearance and utility.

Representatives and members of the Grand Lodge who have not seen the Pythian Building since last Grand Lodge, will be amazed at the transformation in the exterior appearance through the cleaning of the building some months ago. The cleaning was done at a moderate expense in view of the fact that it was an absolute necessity to have the stone work pointed, a process which every stone building requires periodically. The acid bath was administered from the same scaffolding and by the same workmen.

Manager Frank has given the Grand Lodge auditorium the most thorough cleaning it has had in many years and those who attend Grand Lodge from year to year will be impressed immediately with the marked improvement in the appearance of the walls and decorations of the auditorium.

Past Grand Chancellors Association.

One of the interesting events incident to the Grand Lodge Convention in 1929, was a banquet at the Claypool Hotel attended by the Past Grand Chancellors of this Order. The banquet resulted in the organization of the Past Grand Chancellors Association and the election of Dr. Charles A. Tindall of Shelbyville as the president. The banquet will be held annually on the evening preceding the Grand Lodge Convention and it is expected that every Past Grand Chancellor resident in the Domain will be in attendance.

While the purpose of the Association is primarily social, the Past Grand Chancellors in their banquet last year, gave very earnest consideration to the important problems confronting the Order and in particular, gave wholesouled encouragement to the plans outlined to them by the incoming Grand Chancellor, Brother Loy.

G. K. R. S. Association.

It was my privilege to attend the biennial convention of the Association of Grand Keepers of Records and Seal held in conjunction with the Supreme Lodge Convention at Tampa, Florida, in August, 1930. No other opportunity available to a Grand Keeper of Records and Seal com-

pares with the three or four day discussion of Pythian problems, practices and plans with twenty to thirty fellow officers coming from all sections of the Supreme Domain.

The Grand Keepers Association gave much consideration during the convention at Tampa to the proposed changes in the ritual and met in joint session with the ritual committee of the Supreme Lodge. The 1930 convention of the Supreme Lodge will be long and favorably remembered for the small amount of legislation enacted. Only measures of genuine importance received more than casual attention and the Grand Keepers Association was actively identified with most of the few enactments passed by the Supreme Lodge.

The Grand Domain of Indiana was again honored in the re-election of the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal as secretary-treasurer of the association for the fourth biennial term.

The Supreme Lodge convention did two things of outstanding importance. One was to adopt important revisions to the Subordinate and Grand Lodge rituals, the other was to authorize a separation of the insurance activities of the Order from the fraternal activities. Our Grand Lodge representatives attended all sessions of the Supreme Lodge, had well located seats and participated actively and prominently in the affairs of the convention. They will present a detailed report of the convention.

The Pythian Sisters.

One of the most interesting and pleasing experiences of the year came in attending eleven of the twelve district conventions of the Pythian Sisters. At the invitation of the Grand Chief, Mrs. Daisy Duvall of Richmond and with the approval of Grand Chancellor Loy, I attended these conventions for the purpose of explaining in detail to the Pythian Sisters assembled, the provisions of the pending legislation with reference to the admission of Pythian Sisters to the Pythian Home. I feel that the explanation and resulting discussion in the several meetings has brought about a much clearer understanding of the entire relation of the Pythian Sisters to the Pythian Home and, for that matter, to the Order of Knights of Pythias.

I was impressed at all times with the earnest desire on the part of the Pythian Sisters to co-operate fully in all Pythian endeavors and I feel that very great benefit will result to both organizations if there can be still closer co-operation in fraternal, social and altruistic activities.

It is my belief, shared by other officers and members of the Grand Lodge, that if provision could be made for the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters to meet simultaneously with the Grand Lodge Convention on the first Tuesday and Wednesday in October, several important advantages would become immediately apparent.

Three things come to mind instantly. One, the opportunity for Pythian Sisters and their families as well as Knights and their families to join the special excursion to the Pythian Home at Lafayette on Tuesday afternoon, perhaps holding joint memorial services on the Pythian Home grounds in the manner contemplated for this year.

Second, the opportunity for a joint banquet attended by more than one thousand Pythian Sisters and their husbands, Knights of Pythias and their wives, followed by a stirring address by the Supreme Chancellor, or Supreme Chief, if present, and by the Grand Chancellor and Grand Chief, this in turn to be followed by a reception or ball.

Third, along more practical lines, the saving of time and money in those Pythian households where the husband is a Knight and the wife a Pythian Sister. Both would like to attend the convention at Indianapolis, but the husband's convention is entirely over before the wife's convention begins and either an entire week must be spent in Indianapolis, separate trips must be made or some other equally inconvenient arrangement worked out.

This suggestion of simultaneous sessions is not a wild, untried idea. It but follows the practice of the Supreme Lodge and Supreme Temple and of the Grand Lodges and Grand Temples of many other states. I feel this plan has very definite value to both the Grand Lodge and Grand Temple and I favor an expression on the part of this Grand Lodge inviting the Grand Temple to give consideration to the matter. The actual details would be very easy to arrange. It would be necessary for the Grand Temple to have a separate meeting place and I feel this Grand Lodge could well afford financially and otherwise to assume the responsibility of providing such a meeting place in a hotel or elsewhere.

In Memoriam.

Death has laid a heavy hand upon our membership since last Grand Lodge. The semi-annual reports from the subordinate lodges for the two terms record the names of 851 of our brother Knights who have crossed to the other shore. Of this number 181 were members of the Grand Lodge, having attained the honor of Past Chancellor in their several lodges, and fully a score of this number attended the 1929 convention of the Grand Lodge. Their call to realms on high saddens the hearts of our entire membership and it is most appropriate that we pause in our deliberations each year to pay tribute of honor and respect in memory of the departed.

The roster of deceased Past Chancellors this year is almost like a roll call of a Grand Lodge Convention. Few sessions of this Grand Lodge have been held during the past forty years which were not brightened by the presence of Supreme Representative Wm. A. Morris, who died on the morning of Thanksgiving Day, November 28th, at his home in Frankfort. Colonel Geston P. Hunt of Rushville, an officer in the Uniform Rank and a member of the Grand Lodge Committee for a number of years; Deputy Grand Chancellor James Brown of Dugger; Deputy Grand Chancellor Cash Kern of Brownstown; Alonzo W. Moore of Kokomo, member of the committee which selected the site for the Pythian Home; Grant Burket, active worker in Rome City Lodge No. 460 and husband of Mrs. Leona Burket, Past Grand Chief of the Pythian Sisters; Robert L. Jones of East Chicago, tireless worker in the Calumet area; Colonel John H. Litmer of Evansville; Major Thomas W. Demmerly of Indianapolis, familiar figures in the Uniform Rank and in the Grand Lodge for many years; John H. Crull, Keeper of Records and Seal of West Indianapolis Lodge No. 244 for nearly forty years; Charles J. Robb of Michigan City; Dr. J. S. Leslie of Galveston; Al T. Young of Logansport; Pearl Tilson of Greenwood; Ora Mason of New Richmond, and many other outstanding Pythian workers laid down their fraternal labors on this earth. The Order of Knights of Pythias no less than the communities in which these splendid men lived feel keenly the loss of the influence of their well-spent lives.

The Finance Committee.

At the Grand Lodge Convention in 1929, legislation was enacted empowering and authorizing the Grand Lodge Committee on Finance to make examination and adjustment of the financial affairs of the subordinate lodges with the Grand Lodge. On the occasion of the annual audit of the books, records and accounts of the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, Grand Master of Exchequer, Building Manager and Pythian Home in August, the Committee made such an examination, first as to the subordinate lodges still delinquent with semi-annual reports and per capita tax, or both; then with the lodges which had failed to send their reports and tax to the Grand Lodge within the thirty day period specified in the statutes, and finally made a thorough check of the actions of the several lodges in making deductions of membership because of nonpayment of dues.

This year is the first time any finance committee has been given specific authority to make such examination and the Committee discovered conditions which have been a source of much concern to the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal and to each succeeding Grand Chancellor in years gone by but which there seemed to be no satisfactory way of eliminating.

From the data which it compiled, the Committee on Finance has submitted an exhaustive report to the Grand Chancellor and Grand Keeper of Records and Seal and this report will be submitted by the Grand Chancellor to the Grand Lodge Convention for its consideration. In many ways, this will be one of the most important documents ever submitted to the Grand Lodge.

Our Grand Lodge Statutes.

Our statutes were last revised and codified in 1922 when the present blue-backed edition was printed and distributed to the lodges. Each Grand Lodge Convention during the succeeding seven years has amended various sections of the constitution and the statutes and every two years the enactments of the Supreme Lodge require further amendments to our statutes to make them conform.

During this seven years a large chapter of statutes for the government of the Pythian Home have been enacted. To this condition may be added the fact that several of the fundamental provisions of the Supreme Statutes relating to the government of subordinate lodges are not embodied in our statutes so that, all in all, it is becoming a difficult task for the subordinate lodge officers who have not kept carefully abreast of the statutes of this Order, to ascertain the law on any given subject. At best it is necessary to consult our blue book, the supplement and the Supreme Statutes in order to be sure.

We are sadly in need of a careful and thorough codification of our statutes. No important or radical changes in our method of doing things need be contemplated in revising and codifying our statutes, but only the cost of printing a new edition causes me to refrain from an earnest recommendation that the matter of revising and codifying our statutes be taken up at once. I do, however, suggest that this Grand Lodge might designate certain officers of the Grand Lodge and members of Committees who could serve without compensation and at very little expense to the Grand Lodge and give them authority to make a careful study of this question, perhaps submitting a codification of the statutes with data as to the cost of printing and distributing the same, at the next convention of the Grand Lodge.

The Grand Chancellor.

Mention has been made elsewhere in this report of the matchless leadership of Charles S. Loy as our Grand Chancellor. I find no words adequate to express my admiration of the indomitable spirit, the intense fraternal zeal, the resourcefulness, the generalship and all around skill manifest in his every act as commanding general of the Pythian forces this year.

No man ever won such an army of loyal followers through the sheer force of his own personality. No man ever led such a determined attack over a twelve months period against the lethargic conditions prevalent in almost every subordinate lodge.

The victories achieved during his administration, coming as they have done, following the seven most disastrous years ever experienced by this order and running, within a few months, squarely into the most serious economic depression our country has experienced in many years, will stand as a perpetual monument to the courage and ability of Charles S. Loy.

He has sacrificed his business and forsaken his family uncomplainingly, spending on an average of five days a week on the firing line throughout the fall and winter and did everything that appeared to be humanly possible for the promotion of the cause he loved. Our relations during the year have been delightfully pleasant. My admiration for Charles S. Loy as a Pythian, as an executive, as a man, knows no bounds. I shall always cherish the memory of our close association.

Grand Chancellor Dunbar.

The reins of the government of this Grand Lodge will descend on October 8th into the capable hands of Dr. Colin V. Dunbar of Indianapolis, the incoming Grand Chancellor. During the past decade this Grand Lodge has entrusted its leadership to lawyers, butchers, bakers, druggists and even a casket maker, but not since the days of the late beloved Dr. Frank A. Priest of Marion, has a member of the medical profession held the office of Grand Chancellor. It will be a new experience to our lodges to have their ills diagnosed and prescribed for by a man who has made diagnosis and prescription a life study. Perhaps an executive with mental processes of that nature is coming upon the scene at the right time.

Our Indiana lodges are in a convalescent stage. They are recuperating from a run down condition extending over several years. They are in need of tonic, stimulant, exercise, and encouragement, and who is better qualified to administer this course of treatment than a doctor of medicine who is also a recognized doctor of Pythianism.

Dr. Dunbar has been schooled in Pythian affairs for many years through his activity in the lodges of Indianapolis and surrounding territory. As chairman of the Indianapolis Bureau of Employment and Relief, he has been identified with Pythianism in its most practical form. His professional instinct prompts him to think, to study, to analyze, and his steadfast leadership will do much to continue the splendid progress the Order in Indiana has inaugurated so auspiciously during the year just closing.

Financial and Statistical Report.

Following are the tables showing the statistical and financial condition of the Order and of this Grand Lodge.

LODGES.

Number of Lodges June 30, 1929		411
Charters Surrendered	4	
Consolidated	9	
		13
Number of Lodges June 30, 1930		398

MEMBERSHIP.

Number of Members June 30, 1929		49,071
Initiated During the Year	1,408	
Admitted by Card	647	
Reinstated	553	
		2,608
Total		51,679

DEDUCTIONS.

Withdrawn by Card	833	
Transferred by Card	72	
Deceased	851	
Suspended for Offense	1	
Expelled for Offense	5	
Suspended for Nonpayment of Dues	3,736	
		5,498
Number of Members June 30, 1930		46,181
Loss for the Year		2,890

Financial.

RECEIPTS.

Balance Cash on Hand June 30, 1929	$109,866.97	
Receipts During the Year	492,406.90	
Total		$602,273.87

DISBURSEMENTS.

Total for Relief	$126,012.86	
Loans and Investments	36,671.24	
Current Expenses	341,092.30	
Total		503,776.40
Balance Cash on Hand June 30, 1930		$98,497.47

RESOURCES.

Balance Cash on Hand June 30, 1930	$98,497.47
Loans and Investments	428,734.69
Value of Lodge Property	305,555.75
Real Estate	1,810,924.75
Total Resources	$2,643,712.66

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF GRAND LODGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1930.

Receipts.

Per Capita Tax	$36,630.56
Pythian Home Tax	45,899.90
Supplies sold to Lodges	2,508.07
Pythian Journal	839.75
Carnahan Lodge	141.00
Dispensations	7.00
Penalty	32.00
Interest on Grand Lodge Funds	215.94
Schedule Bond Premium	697.28
Defunct Lodges	298.37
Miscellaneous Receipts	159.51
Total	$87,429.38

Disbursements.

Salary of Grand Chancellor	$2,400.00
Expenses of Grand Chancellor	1,055.83

Salary of G. K. R. S.	4,000.00
Expenses of G. K. R. S.	578.83
Salary of Grand Master of Exchequer	500.00
Clerk Hire	4,023.00
Expenses of Trustees, Committees, Tribunal	424.22
Pythian Extension	6,615.82
Uniform Rank	500.00
Bureau of Employment and Relief	1,500.00
Supreme Lodge Tax	4,881.70
Printing Grand Lodge Journal	910.72
Supplies for Stock	1,834.79
Office Equipment, Stationery, etc.	1,161.80
Telephone and Telegraph	414.27
Postage and Express	873.54
Pythian Journal	1,657.77
Surety Bonds	230.59
Rent	822.00
Special Appropriations	271.97
Mileage and Per Diem	6,529.92
Pythian Home Tax	45,899.90
Princes of Syracuse	25.00
Schedule Bond	1,383.50
Total	$88,495.17

Appropriations for 1929-1930.

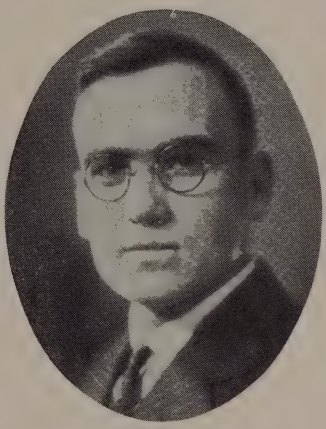
	Amount Appropriated	Amount Expended June 30, 1930	Amount Unexpended June 30, 1930	Amount Overdrawn June 30, 1930
Mileage and Per Diem	$6,500 00	$6,363 64	$136 36	.....
Expense of Committees	100 00	93 36	6 64	.....
Pythian Extension	5,000 00	5,593 50	.....	$593 50
Salary of G. C.	2,400 00	1,800 00	600 00	.....
Expense of G. C.	1,200 00	828 61	371 39	.....
Salary of G. M. E.	500 00	375 00	125 00	.....
Salary of G. K. R. S.	4,000 00	2,997 00	1,003 00	.....
Expense of G. K. R. S.	600 00	469 14	130 86	.....
Clerk Hire	4,000 00	3,096 00	904 00	.....
Uniform Rank	500 00	500 00	.....	.....
Office Equipment, Printing, Supplies	1,500 00	936 86	563 14	.....
Telephone and Telegraph	300 00	334 51	.....	34 51
Postage, express	1,000 00	709 58	290 42	.....
Office Maintenance	480 00	360 00	120 00	.....
Printing Grand Lodge Journal	1,200 00	910 72	289 28	.....
Supplies for stock	1,500 00	1,548 33	.....	48 33
Surety bond	300 00	230 59	69 41	.....
Supreme Lodge Tax	5,000 00	2,339 10	2,660 90	.....
Bureau of Relief	1,500 00	750 00	750 00	.....
Pythian Journal	600 00	1,060 73		
	Less Credits	729 75		
		330 98	269 02	.....
Princes of Syracuse	200 00	25 00	175 00	.....
Total	$38,380 00	$30,591 92	$8,464 42	$676 34

Special Appropriations by Resolution.

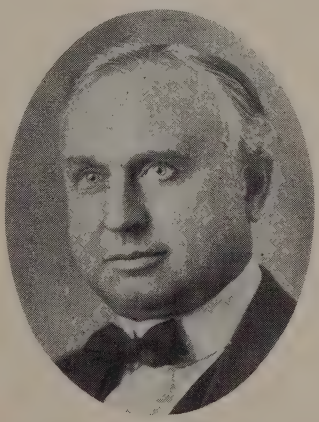
Date	Check No.	Paid to	Amount
Oct. 5, 1929	14331	Chester M. Dewitt	$102 45
Oct. 5, 1929	14332	E. E. Neal	50 00
Oct. 5, 1929	14333	Allen Moore	100 00
Nov. 1, 1929	14375	Rieman Flower Shop	10 00
Jan. 24, 1930	14491	Union Trust Co.	9 52
		Total	$271 97

LEVI HOOKER
GRAND VICE-CHANCELLOR

EDWIN R. THOMAS
GRAND PRELATE



CARL R. MITCHELL
GRAND KEEPER OF RECORDS
AND SEAL



HENRY KAMMERER
GRAND MASTER OF EXCHEQUER

HARRY C. SULLIVAN
GRAND MASTER-AT-ARMS

Lodges Consolidated.

Edwardsport Lodge No. 560, Edwardsport, with Sandborn Lodge No. 302, Sandborn, October 21, 1929.

Hartsville Lodge No. 162, Hartsville, with Greensburg Lodge No. 148, Greensburg, December 31, 1929.

Irvington Lodge No. 324, Indianapolis, with Capital City Lodge No. 97, Indianapolis, January 13, 1930.

St. George Lodge No. 143, Evansville, with Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville, January 1, 1930.

Taylorsville Lodge No. 307, Taylorsville, with Fidelity Lodge No. 42, Edinburg, February 6, 1930.

North Salem Lodge No. 291, North Salem, with Danville Lodge No. 48, Danville, January 1, 1930.

Cayuga Lodge No. 390, Cayuga, with Riverside Lodge No. 242, Newport, March 12, 1930.

Brimfield Lodge No. 520, Brimfield, with Rome City Lodge No. 460, Rome City, March 17, 1930.

Blue Ridge Lodge No. 473, Blue Ridge, with Chillon Lodge No. 129, Shelbyville, June 30, 1930.

Charters Surrendered.

Corypheus Lodge No. 180, Cynthiana, September 18, 1929.
Metz Lodge No. 411, Metz, September 1, 1929.
Bunker Hill Lodge No. 299, Bunker Hill, January 6, 1930.
Energy Lodge No. 410, Oakville, February 3, 1930.

Deceased Past Chancellors.

For a list of the members of the Grand Lodge whose deaths have occurred during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930, see Appendix.

In Conclusion.

There is much pleasure in looking back over the events of the year which has been characterized by genuine activity, progress and growth. A new spirit is abroad in our lodge work. We have tasted of Victory which has been won against heavy odds, we have renewed our faith, renewed our courage, renewed our willingness to work. The accomplishments of this year should but spur us on to greater endeavors and greater accomplishments during the coming year.

The year's work has been made doubly pleasant by the fine cooperation and the countless favors and courtesies enjoyed at your hands. I express my sincere appreciation of every kindness bestowed and join in the universal wish that each passing day will add to the lustre and renown of our glorious fraternity.

Sincerely and fraternally,

Carl R. Mitchell

Grand Keeper of Records and Seal.

Document No. 4.

Report of Grand Master of Exchequer

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

I herewith submit my report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930:

Balance Cash on Hand July 1, 1929	$1,418.42
Received from Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S., during the year	87,429.38
Total	$88,847.80
Paid out on Orders During Year	88,495.17
Balance Cash on Hand June 30, 1930	$352.63

Fraternally submitted,

HENRY KAMMERER,
Grand Master of Exchequer.

Document No. 5.

Report of Grand Lodge Trustees

Indianapolis, Ind., August 1, 1930.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

We, your Grand Lodge Trustees, herewith submit our report for the year ending June 30, 1930, as follows:

Report on Indiana Pythian Building.

Balance Sheet.

	June 30, 1929	June 30, 1930
Assets—		
Investment:		
Real Estate	$300,000.00	$300,000.00
Building	476,655.19	478,142.68
Tools	.....	323.33
Office Furniture and Fixtures	745.00	745.00
Other Furniture and Fixtures	.....	52.00
Total Investment	$777,400.19	$779,263.01
Current Assets:		
Cash and Bank Account	$5,723.43	$4,671.94
Accounts Receivable	2,987.00	7,586.37
Notes Receivable	.....	2,145.22
Securities	1,300.00	1,300.00
Total Current Assets	$10,010.43	$15,703.53
Prepaid Accounts:		
Prepaid Insurance	$2,588.47	$2,196.73
Total Assets	$789,999.09	$797,163.27
Liabilities—		
Mortgage Loan	$155,000.00	$145,000.00
Accrued Taxes	12,140.02	12,418.13
Accrued Interest	1,420.83	1,329.16
Original Investment	200,000.00	200,000.00
Surplus	421,438.24	438,415.98
Total Liabilities	$789,999.09	$797,163.27

Operating Statement.

Year Ending June 30, 1930.

Revenues—		
Rentals	$85,475.52	
Steam Heat Sales	184.45	
Waste Paper Sales	101.28	
Interest Received	116.40	
Cash Discounts Taken	199.91	
Miscellaneous Revenues	100.00	
Total Revenues		$86,177.56

Operating Expenses—		
Steam and Electric Operation:		
Labor—Operating	$6,093.00	
Fuel	10,405.39	
Boiler Equipment—Repairs	330.90	
Electric Equipment—Repairs	69.00	
Boiler Room Supplies	313.82	
Electric Equipment Supplies	169.59	
Miscellaneous Expense	43.33	
Total Steam-Electric Operation	$17,425.03	
Building Operation:		
Labor—Janitors	$8,009.18	
Labor—Elevators	2,956.54	
Labor—Miscellaneous	550.00	
Light	936.00	
Gas	34.35	
Water	1,705.77	
Lamps	127.90	
Janitor Supplies	900.31	
Refrigeration	27.25	
Miscellaneous Expense	183.78	
Total Building Operation	$15,431.08	
Building Repairs:		
Labor—General	$2,091.55	
Labor—Alterations	557.10	
Labor—Elevators	436.95	
Material and Supplies—General	926.39	
Material and Supplies—Alterations	320.29	
Material and Supplies—Elevators	92.35	
Miscellaneous Expense	2,784.85	
Total Building Repairs	$7,209.48	
Administrative Expense:		
Salary of Manager	$3,600.00	
Salary of Clerk	1,070.00	
Salary and Expense—Officers	423.33	
Expense—Building Manager	205.20	
Office Supplies and Expenses	278.59	
Law Expense	1,013.20	
Taxes	12,696.22	
Interest	8,152.17	
Insurance	1,406.02	
Miscellaneous Expense	289.50	
Total Administrative Expense	$29,134.23	
Total Expenses		$69,199.82
Net Income		$16,977.74

Comparative Operating Statement.

	Year Ending June 30, 1929	Year Ending June 30, 1930
Operating Revenues—		
Rentals	$86,625.02	$85,475.52
Steam Heat Sales	323.65	184.45
Waste Paper Sales	149.17	101.28

Interest Received	71.59	116.40
Cash Discounts Taken	88.09	199.91
Miscellaneous Revenues	572.86	100.00
Total Revenues	$87,830.38	$86,177.56
Operating Expenses—		
Steam and Electric Operation	$17,825.62	$17,425.03
Building Operation	17,732.86	15,431.08
Building Repairs	2,809.04	7,209.48
Administrative Expense	29,321.97	29,134.23
Total Expenses	$67,689.49	$69,199.82
Net Income	$20,140.89	$16,977.74

Operating Revenues.

During the year ending June 30, 1930, the revenues from the operation of the building have shown a decrease of $1,652.82. This reduction in revenues has been primarily due to business conditions. We are most fortunate in having a Manager who has made strenuous efforts to retain renters and to secure others to replace those who have vacated rooms during the period. The percentage of vacancy for the year has averaged 13.24%—an excellent showing as compared with other office buildings in the city of Indianapolis. The percentage of vacancy at the time of making this report is about 14%.

Operating Costs.

The cost of building operation, steam and electric operation and building repairs has shown an increase over the previous year, due to the fact that the building has been cleaned, the stone work pointed and the outside wood work painted at a cost of approximately $1,695.00. The pointing of the stone work was necessary, because of insurance requirements. The cleaning of the building has added much to the general appearance of our building and has proven a very valuable investment.

Fuel costs were slightly higher for the last year than that of the previous year on account of the weather conditions of the last winter.

Labor charges have been approximately $2,000.00 less than for the previous year, all work of alterations having been performed by the labor force of the regular pay roll, without the hiring of additional help.

Administrative Expense.

The total of administrative expense is practically the same as that of the previous year, but some changes have been made in the different items of the account.

1. Law expense has been reduced.....$1,000.00
2. Interest charges reduced..... 722.83
3. Taxes were increased..... 691.09
4. Insurance was increased..... 646.01

This is the first year in which the salary and expenses of the Grand Lodge Trustees has been charged to the cost of operation of the building. In previous years this expense has been paid by the Grand Lodge.

The increase in insurance was due to the fact that a very small amount of tornado insurance was being carried and the insurance companies and the holders of our mortgage obligations have demanded that we carry a larger amount of such insurance. This demand is in line with requirements and is conceded to be good business. The cost of this insurance is much less per thousand dollars than fire insurance and such

protection is in accord with the judgment of business men in all lines of business.

The rental of the Grand Lodge offices has been $1,850.00 per year during former years, this sum being paid from the Grand Lodge treasury to the Manager of the building. For the past year this sum has been reduced to $480.00, being the estimated cost of maintenance of the Grand Lodge offices.

This reduction of rentals in the sum of $1,370 00 and $423.33, the amount of salaries and expenses of the Grand Lodge Trustees, which was formerly paid by the Grand Lodge, has made a difference of approximately $1,800.00 in the net revenues of the building. This has been the building's contribution to the campaign for up-building of the Order.

Building Condition.

The building is in better condition than at any time in recent years. The cleaning, pointing and the painting have added very much to the attractiveness of our building and the comment of the general public has been most favorable. The conditions inside the building are up to the standard of office building requirements and the Manager has made strenuous efforts to maintain the property in the best condition possible. Sanitation and repair has been the watchword, and at the same time a minimum of expense in order that the operating efficiency may be attained, has been the Manager's outstanding motto.

To accomplish the above, it has not been necessary to employ additional help, except the cleaning, pointing and painting, which required men skilled in that class of work and outfitted with the necessary equipment to handle such work. Our own employees have performed all other duties, including alterations in rooms and needed repairs.

Indebtedness.

All items of current expense are paid promptly—all bills subject to discount having been paid and the discount taken. No unpaid operating expense bills exist. The discounts taken for the year have amounted to $199.91.

On July 1, 1929, our bonded debt was $155,000.00. During the year $10,000.00 was paid. Since the close of the year and prior to the time of compiling this report, another payment of $5,000.00 was made. These payments will reduce the interest charge in the sum of $825.00 per year, and makes bonded indebtedness as of this date $140,000.00.

Future Expenditures.

It is quite probable that changes may be necessary in the elevator equipment during the next year or two, in order that the standard of elevator service may be maintained. The cost of such changes is problematic, being dependent on the extent of such alterations.

The cost of Pennsylvania street widening is still pending in the Supreme Court—the case having been decided in our favor in both the Circuit and the Supreme courts. The city of Indianapolis has asked for a rehearing in the Supreme Court and such petition has not been acted upon. If the opinion of the court remains as decided, this cost will be a little over $600.00.

The question of Massachusetts avenue widening is still in litigation and determination of the cost of the same or the possibility of completion of such work is in the future. The cost of such widening, if it becomes a reality, is sure to amount to several thousand dollars.

Accounting.

The change in accounting methods received mention in our report for last year. We have followed the plan during the year and find that

it gives us almost instant touch with operating conditions. Each month the Manager furnishes each member of the Board with a statement, which statement is complete in every detail. The rearrangement of accounts makes it impossible to compare some of the detail accounts with those of the previous years, but the control accounts can be compared very readily and such comparison has proven valuable in determining operating data. Reports compiled during future years can be compared in detail and the exact status ascertained.

Conclusion.

Each member of the Grand Lodge should give the information contained in this report careful consideration. Should there be any item or items therein that are not fully understood, the Board will be pleased to go into detail about the same with any member and to the best of their ability will endeavor to make all operating facts clear.

As we stated last year, this is your building; it is your business and it is a business proposition, and has been handled as a business problem throughout the year. Reduction of the debt has been kept in mind—we now owe a total of $140,000.00. Next year we will reduce it again. Service to our tenants will be maintained at the standard and any encouragement from the members of the Order in general will be appreciated.

COMBINED BALANCE SHEET.

We submit herewith the annual report of the Grand Lodge Trustees as to the assets and liabilities of the Grand Lodge at the close of the fiscal year, June 30, 1930, as shown by the books of the respective offices.

ASSETS.

Grand Lodge Office.

Cash in hands of Grand Master of Exchequer..	$352.63	
Lodge Supplies in Stock	809.28	
Due from Subordinate Lodges	2,038.07	
Notes Receivable	797.30	
Auditorium Furnishings	4,000.00	
Grand Lodge Office Furniture and Safes	1,900.00	
Grand Lodge Charter, Records, etc	300.00	
Grand Lodge Officers' Jewels	90.00	
Total		$10,287.28

Indiana Pythian Building.

Current Assets—		
Cash	$4,671.94	
Accounts Receivable—Rent	7,586.37	
Notes Receivable	2,145.22	
Securities	1,300.00	
Total Current Assets	$15,703.53	
Fixed Assets—		
Real Estate	$300,000.00	
Building	478,142.68	
Office Furniture and Fixtures	745.00	
Other Furniture and Fixtures	52.00	
Tools	323.33	
Total Fixed Assets	$779,263.01	

Deferred Assets—		
Prepaid Insurance	$2,196.73	
Total Deferred Assets	$2,196.73	
Total Assets		$797,163.27

Indiana Pythian Home.

Cash	$4,513.48	
Real Estate	39,196.00	
Buildings	249,572.71	
Furnishings	17,387.00	
Equipment	10,015.02	
Rental Property	6,700.00	
Prepaid Insurance	377.02	
Revolving Fund	500.00	
Photographs	25.94	
Office Furnishings	507.10	
Farm Equipment	1,746.09	
Shoe Repair Shop	46.90	
Automobile Account	1,649.08	
Farm Buildings	12,628.44	
Bonds and Securities	1,584.15	
Live Stock	2,968.40	
Band Instruments	690.19	
Railroadmen's Building and Savings Ass'n	1,308.74	
Total		$351,416.26
Grand Total		$1,158,866.81

LIABILITIES.

Grand Lodge Office.

Due Subordinate Lodges	$144.30	
Surplus Account	8,814.51	
Held in Trust for Defunct Lodges	1,328.47	
Total		$10,287.28

Indiana Pythian Building.

Accrued Taxes	$12,418.13	
Accrued Interest	1,329.16	
Mortgage Loan	145,000.00	
Original Investment	200,000.00	
Surplus Account	438,415.98	
Total		$797,163.27

Indiana Pythian Home.

Credited to Residents	$757.90	
Permanent Trust Fund	1,308.74	
Net Worth	349,349.62	
Total		$351,416.26
Grand Total		$1,158,866.81

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. CROOKER,
CHAS. A. PHELPS,
FRED E. SWAIM,
Grand Lodge Trustees.

Document No. 6.

Report of Indiana Pythian Home Board of Directors

Indianapolis, August 1, 1930.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

The Indiana Pythian Home Board of Directors is pleased to submit herewith its report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930. On that date the Pythian Home completed its thirty-first month of operation.

The year just ended witnessed the erection of the necessary farm buildings, the completion of which made possible the acquisition of a dairy herd and permitted farming operations to be conducted fully. Aside from these affairs pertaining to the farm, the general operations of the Home have progressed uneventfully. Under the capable administrative supervision of Superintendent and Mrs. Wm. B. Gray, the Pythian Home has functioned in a manner highly satisfactory to the Board, to the residents, and to the thousands of members of the Order who have taken occasion during the year to visit the Home and observe its workings.

There has been but little variation in the population of the Home during the year. One year ago, this happy family was made up of fifty men, fifteen women, thirty boys, twenty-five girls, a total of one hundred twenty. On June 30, 1930, the total was one hundred twenty-six, comprising fifty-four men, sixteen women, thirty-one boys and twenty-five girls.

The only change in the personnel of the Board during the year was the automatic change following the Grand Lodge Convention in October, when the term of Past Grand Chancellor Dolph E. Farr expired and Grand Vice Chancellor Dr. C. V. Dunbar, Indianapolis, became a member and vice-chairman of the Board. Grand Chancellor Charles S. Loy became chairman of the Board at that time, succeeding the retiring Grand Chancellor, Samuel L. Trabue, who remained a member of the Board as Past Grand Chancellor.

Four regular quarterly meetings of the Board have been held during the year as provided in the statutes and six special meetings have been held, making ten during the year. Five meetings were held at the Grand Lodge office at Indianapolis, four were held at the Pythian Home office and one emergency meeting was held at Marion, immediately preceding a session of the Grand Council. Three of the quarterly meetings convened at the Grand Lodge office for the consideration of clerical and routine business and the audit of accounts, after which the Board went to Lafayette for the completion of the session. Several of the special meetings were required for the approval of plans and erection of farm buildings.

Superintendent and Employees.

The Board unanimously re-elected Wm. B. Gray and Mrs. Zoe V. Gray superintendent and matron respectively at the October meeting. They have directed the active management of the Home in ways which reflect credit upon them and honor upon the Order which they serve. The Superintendent is hailed by those in his charge, by various ranks and titles, Captain, Colonel, General, Mayor, but to the boys and girls he is "Daddy Gray." Mrs. Gray's well-known ability to soothe aches and pains

has won for her the title of doctor. Whatever the title, they are loved by young and old and are doing a noble work in a splendid way.

A few changes in the personnel of employees have occurred, due largely to the depredations of Dan Cupid. Reductions were made during the year in the farm help and in the dining room. One employee was added in April when a practical nurse was employed to supervise the care of the adult residents and cases of temporary illness. Prior to her arrival, it was necessary to send some patients to the Lafayette hospital who can now be cared for in the Pythian Home and it is anticipated her salary will be saved in hospital and medical bills.

The Board is appreciative of the spirit of loyalty and devotion on the part of all employees of the Home. The governesses, attendants and other employees have been conscientious in the discharge of their duties.

Applications.

During this fiscal year forty-eight applications were filed. This included thirty men, six women, seven boys and five girls. The following disposition has been made of these applications:

Accepted and admitted	14
Accepted and placed on waiting list	5
Granted monthly allowance	10
Continued indefinitely	10
Continued temporarily	1
Application withdrawn	1
Died while application was pending	1
Pending on this date	3
Rejected	3
Total	48

All of the twelve children have been accepted and eleven have been admitted. The other is with relatives temporarily.

Although there is a net increase of only six in the total number of residents at the end of the year, there were twenty-eight admitted during the year, thirteen men, four women, six boys and five girls, and there were nine deaths, ten withdrawals and three dismissals, for a total deduction of twenty-two.

Roster of Residents Admitted.

MEN

Date	Name	Lodge	No.	Location
1929				
July 4	Hosea V. Johnson	Mecca	488	Mecca
July 20	Jacob L. Wood	Wabash	140	Wabash
Sept. 7	Marcus N. Burnett	Lafayette	51	Lafayette
Oct. 15	Cyrus Thompson	Mace	55	Mace
Oct. 22	James B. Briggs	Marion	1	Indianapolis
Nov. 22	Henry D. Sherlock	Arion	254	Indianapolis
Nov. 22	Geo. A. Burt	Gary	541	Gary
Dec. 2	Wm. W. Greathouse	Lake Mill	181	Rockport
1930				
Jan. 25	Harry M. Byers	Carmel	355	Carmel
April 6	John W. Johnson	Letts	357	Letts
April 12	Wm. A. Sigler	Liberty	114	Liberty
April 17	Wm. A. Stafford	Friendship	10	New Albany
June 28	Thos. J. Smith	Carnahan	A	Indianapolis

WOMEN

Date	Name	Lodge	No.	Location
1929				
July 4	Henrietta Johnson	Mecca	488	Mecca
Oct. 22	Elizabeth J. Briggs	Marion	1	Indianapolis
Nov. 22	Alice M. Sherlock	Arion	254	Indianapolis
1930				
April 12	Alwilda Sigler	Liberty	114	Liberty

BOYS

		Age			
1929					
Sept. 7	Gordon Robert Best	7	Shelby	534	Montmorenci
Nov. 15	Russell Whitus	13	Oxford	187	Oxford
Nov. 15	Park Junior Whitus	4	Oxford	187	Oxford
1930					
Jan. 4	Nolan Milford Deaver	10	Hammond	210	Hammond
May 16	Robert Dean Faris	7	Pythagorean	118	Washington
May 16	William Dale Faris	4	Pythagorean	118	Washington

GIRLS

1929					
Oct. 5	Bertha Louise Menges	4	LaPorte	112	LaPorte
Nov. 15	Lillian Marie Whitus	11	Oxford	187	Oxford
1930					
Jan. 4	Ina May Deaver	11	Hammond	210	Hammond
Jan. 4	Lois Virginia Deaver	7	Hammond	210	Hammond
May 16	Herma Mildred Faris	9	Pythagorean	118	Washington

DECEASED—MEN

1929					
July 4	Samuel R. Wagoner	Golden Rule		308	Andrews
Oct. 28	Albert Rhodes	Cromwell		408	Cromwell
1930					
Jan. 19	George W. Myers	Orion		35	Evansville
Feb. 10	Marcus N. Burnett	Lafayette		51	Lafayette
Feb. 22	Joseph H. Fields	Lucullus		233	Bourbon
June 22	John F. Falck	Huntington		93	Huntington

WOMEN

1929					
Nov. 26	Jane Fogarty	Plainfield		50	Plainfield
1930					
April 2	Gertrude F. Lowden	Rubicon		340	Michigantown
June 4	Catherine M. Vance	Sunlight		190	Pennville

WITHDRAWN—MEN

1929					
Aug. 23	Jacob L. Wood	Wabash		140	Wabash
1930					
April 24	Dan Cahill	Olive Branch		2	Indianapolis
May 3	L. L. Levy	Hammond		210	Hammond

BOYS

1929					
July 8	Marvin Pinkerton	Hammond		210	Hammond
Aug. 15	Fred Mushrush	Olive Branch		2	Indianapolis
1930					
April 27	Robt. L. Humbert	Wayne		393	West Point

GIRLS

1929					
July 8	Marabel Pinkerton	Hammond		210	Hammond
Aug. 15	Kathryn Mushrush	Olive Branch		2	Indianapolis
1930					
Feb. 1	Lucy Babb	Hazel		217	Clinton

GRADUATED

1930					
June 7	Fred A. Featherstone	Olive Branch		2	Indianapolis

DISMISSED—BOYS

1929					
July 29	Chas. N. Turley	Tunnelton		168	Tunnelton

GIRLS

1929					
July 29	Marjorie Turley	Tunnelton		168	Tunnelton
July 29	Frances Ruth Turley	Tunnelton		168	Tunnelton

Frederick Arnold Featherstone graduated from the Jefferson High School, Lafayette and automatically from the Pythian Home on June 7, 1930. Fred is the first and only graduate from the Pythian Home. His father was a member of Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Indianapolis and Fred became a member of that lodge on his 18th birthday, Feb. 9, 1930. Following his graduation he returned to Indianapolis.

Five children were returned to their parents and one girl has been adopted through proper court procedure into a splendid Pythian household.

Three brother Knights withdrew from the Home during the year, one that he might resume his trade and make further effort to support himself, one that he might enter a church home in another state and the other that he might visit relatives in another climate in search of improved health. The latter two passed away in July, 1930, a few weeks after withdrawing from the Home.

The Board is of the belief as time goes on added consideration can and should be given to the possibility of placing children from the Pythian Home in individual homes. This is a matter which presents many phases and must be handled with extreme care, but where a thoroughly satisfactory opportunity arises for one of our boys or girls to be adopted into a splendid home, our Order would not be doing its full duty to the child nor to the deceased brother Knight if such opportunity were to be denied.

Improved Housing Facilities.

It was necessary for several months to appropriate a dormitory in the boys building to take care of the overflow of men. During recent months, the superintendent under authority of the Board, finished, decorated and equipped several half basement rooms in the adult building, transforming them into very comfortable dormitory rooms with four and five beds. In so doing, it was possible to transfer the men from their temporary quarters in the boys building to these newly equipped and very desirable quarters which are popular with the men. This removal permits the occupancy by boys of both the second floor dormitories in their building, relieving the danger of over crowding the south dormitory.

Band.

Professor Louis B. Elmore, director of the Pythian Home Band, has made splendid progress with his youthful students during the past year. Few of the children had ever had any musical instruction and none of them could play any band instrument when rehearsals began in the summer of 1929. Very excellent progress has been made in one short year and during the spring and summer of 1930, the Pythian Home Band has accepted invitations to play at several district meetings at points near Lafayette and played concerts at several of the roundup meetings in June. At the end of the recent school season, arrangements were made for Brother Elmore to give special lessons to the various boys and girls and immediate results were apparent from the intensive instruction. The band has been highly complimented wherever it has appeared and the concerts have been well played and entertaining.

Wherever the band has gone, splendid contributions have been made to the fund with which to purchase uniforms and in May, the uniforms were ordered from the Ward-Stilson Company, at Anderson. These were received in June and the band makes a most attractive appearance. The uniforms embody the colors of the Order and in a general way are fashioned after the style of the Dokey uniforms, using a red fez. Contributions to the uniform fund up to this time have not been sufficient to defray the entire cost, but it is expected that future contributions will be received so that the complete equipment of the band for uniforms as well as instruments will have come from personal gifts by Indiana Pythians, rather than from the per capita maintenance fund.

Much credit is due Supreme Representative Elmore for the painstaking efforts he has exerted in making it possible for these boys and girls to become proficient on the various instruments, and obtaining an education in music which will be valuable to them throughout their lives. Brother Elmore has conducted rehearsals of the band one or more times each week with no renumeration except for special lessons during the vacation season.

Farm Buildings.

The erection of farm buildings was contracted on July 9th, 1929, with Korshot & Bonham of Lafayette, on their bid of $9,278.38. These included a combination dairy and horse barn, 34x62 feet of hollow tile and frame construction with a tile silo, an 80-foot tile poultry house and a double corn crib 26x36 feet of frame construction. It was hoped to have these buildings completed on the occasion of the visit of the last Grand Lodge Convention by special train on October 1st. Delays of one kind and another prevented full completion by that time, although the buildings were ready for the careful inspection which the visitors gave them on that occasion. They were fully completed and equipped before the end of October and the first dairy cows were purchased and delivered at the Home during the first week in November. Eight cows were purchased at that time, two of which were afterward sold, and four other cows were purchased early this spring so that the herd now consists of ten high-grade Holstein cows, a fine bull, one bull calf and three heifer calves. Since June 30th twin calves have been born.

Much needed improvements were made to two of the small rental houses on South Eighteenth Street, one of which was moved to a new location to make room for the dairy barn. At a very moderate expense, these houses were put in first class condition and the one nearest the barn is occupied by the farmer and his family, while the other house and a third which is near the south corner of the farm, are rented at the present time.

During the early spring the erection of fencing was fully completed so that the Pythian Home farm is now fully and permanently fenced. This includes cross fences and necessary lanes.

After the principal farm buildings were completed, a substantial and roomy implement shed was built at very small cost. A large flock of chickens has been built up, young pigs have been bought, fattened and sold and others bought to be butchered during the coming winter.

Our prize winning team of heavy horses was sold early in the spring to the Sells-Floto circus for $500 which is almost $200 more than the purchase price. Another very excellent team of young horses has been purchased, also a team of mules and the Pythian Home is now fully equipped to carry on all phases of farm operation in an efficient manner.

Boys Playground.

Indianapolis Lodge No. 56 made an initial contribution last year toward the establishment of a boys playground and this year from the proceeds of a minstrel show and a special contribution from one of the members of the lodge, ample funds have been provided for the equipment of a boys playground and a complete athletic field. Final selection and installation of this equipment has not been made at the date of this report but is under consideration for early action.

Memorial Trees.

The arrangements considered last year for the planting of memorial trees and shrubs by lodges throughout the state which secured ten or more members during the year, was of necessity deferred. This plan has not been abandoned and arrangements will be commenced in the early fall looking toward the complete fulfillment of the plans contemplated a year ago. During the year just closed, many more lodges have qualified for the privilege of dedicating a permanent memorial of this nature on the grounds of the Pythian Home and it is necessary to work out the location of these trees and shrubs in a very careful manner with the guidance of a skilled landscape engineer. Fortunately, such a person lives next door to the Pythian Home and plans are now being drafted for this work.

The Board also considered it advisable to defer the installation of a contemplated system of yard lights and expects to complete this installation in a few months.

Visits—Picnics—Outings.

As in former years, thousands of visitors have entered the Pythian Home grounds and have visited the buildings during the past year. Automobile parties have come as in other years, although not so many organized county delegations visited the Pythian Home this year as last year. This is accounted for in part by the unsettled weather in the early summer and the terrific heat in mid-summer.

The boys and girls have enjoyed the visits made to the Pythian Home during the year as have the older residents. The children have been the guests of Kiwanis Club, Exchange Club, Elks Lodge, and other organizations in Lafayette, at picture shows and outings in the parks and other forms of entertainment for which grateful acknowledgment is made.

The big event of the year occurred shortly after the official close of the fiscal year but should very properly be recorded here. On July 20th upward of five thousand visitors and members of the Order, their families, Pythian Sisters, neighbors and friends, visited the Pythian Home on the occasion of a State Wide Picnic arranged under direction of Grand Chancellor Charles S. Loy.

Nearly all visitors brought lunch baskets along and the picnic grove was crowded with happy picnic parties at the noon hour. Stands operated by the employees and older children at the Pythian Home provided for those who desired food or other refreshments. Music was furnished by the Pythian Home Band and by the band from Butler Lodge No. 158, and the drum and bugle corps from Shambah Temple D. O. K. of Indianapolis. Special fancy drills by the Samson Guards from Butler Lodge added much to the enjoyment of the day. Mayor John B. Hudson and Grand Chancellor Charles S. Loy spoke during the early afternoon.

The greater part of the day was devoted to informal inspection of the buildings, grounds and farm by the thousands of visitors, many of whom had not seen the Pythian Home before. The buildings and grounds presented a very attractive appearance and the visitors appeared to be well pleased with the appearance and methods of operation.

Photographs.

Several new and attractive panoramic views of the Pythian Home, buildings and grounds were made just prior to the picnic and are for sale to lodges and individuals. They may be obtained either at the Pythian Home or from the Grand Lodge office. One picture shows the three principal buildings and superintendent's residence taken at close range and bringing out the beauty of the lawns and shrubbery as well as the buildings themselves. Another view gives a full sweep of the beautiful grounds of the Pythian Home from the Carnahan Memorial Flag Pole at the north, across the front and including the ravine to the south. The third panorama is taken from a point southeast of the barn and shows the entire layout of the farm buildings, including also the dairy herd, horses and mules. These panoramic photographs are splendidly adapted for framing and it is urged that one or more of these views should be on the walls of every Castle Hall in Indiana.

A number of lodges are in possession of the picture of the Pythian Home buildings taken when they were dedicated, when the ground was bare and some of the debris not cleared away. One of the new pictures can probably be placed in the same frame and will give a much more attractive representation of our beautiful home.

Tin Foil Campaign.

A campaign was launched early in July and publicly announced at the picnic on July 20th for the collection of tin foil, lead foil, aluminum foil and similar valuable scraps, on a state wide basis. The Board is of the belief that thousands of dollars worth of these foils are tossed aside every month by the people of Indiana and that a systematic campaign for the saving and shipping of these foils to the Pythian Home at Lafayette will permit what is now waste material to be converted into money and that a very substantial sum can be added to the Pythian Home Permanent Trust Fund. The members of the Board and the officers of the Grand Lodge are calling upon every lodge and every member over the state to join in this effort. Receptacles are being placed in stores and public places with suitable placards inviting the co-operation of the general public. The foils are to be shipped to the Pythian Home at Lafayette where they will be sorted, graded and prepared for sale. Already in a few weeks time, large quantities of foils have been accumulated and the Board is confident of having the hearty co-operation of the members of the Order of Knights of Pythias and their families and friends in carrying this campaign forward in a large way.

Pythian Home Permanent Trust Fund.

The Pythian Home Board has created the Pythian Home Permanent Trust Fund, the nucleus of which was the first bequest received for the Pythian Home, from the will of Brother John R. Hernley of Crescens Lodge No. 33, Newcastle. This bequest amounted to $750. Other smaller gifts have been received and the Board has ordered certain miscellaneous receipts and the proceeds of life insurance carried by deceased residents of the Pythian Home, placed in this fund. The total on June 30, 1930, was $1,308.74 and early in July additions were made which brought the total to about $2,200.

The Pythian Home Permanent Trust Fund is deposited in the Railroad Men's Building and Savings Association in Indianapolis where it is drawing six percent interest. The principal of this fund will be kept invested safely at all times and only the earnings from the fund will be available for disbursements. As the fund grows from year to year, the earnings will be available to apply on the operating expenses of the Home, or in such other manner as may be decided, but the principal will remain intact and continue to increase from year to year.

The establishment of a trust fund of this nature was advocated very earnestly by Grand Chancellor Charles S. Loy as a member of the Pythian Home Board and the receipt of the Hernley bequest paved the way for the definite creation of the fund.

School Transfers.

Because of a lack of understanding of matters pertaining to the subject of school transfers during the first two school years, a great deal of trouble has been experienced on this subject. Assurance was given when Lafayette and other cities were being considered for the location of the Pythian Home, that the proposed site for the Pythian Home, which is the ground upon which the Pythian Home is now located, would be annexed to the city and that full school privileges would be accorded the children from the Pythian Home without charge.

After Lafayette was selected and the site acquired, the city of Lafayette promptly made good the promise by annexing that portion of the farm lying northwest of the boulevard to the city. The Grand Lodge did not desire annexation of the remainder of the property.

The children of the Pythian Home who are of school age have at all times, attended the public schools in Lafayette, commencing when the Pythian Home was opened December 1st, 1927. The Lafayette schools have not made or sought to make any charge for tuition for the children from the Pythian Home.

However, after twenty-five or thirty children of school age had been accepted and admitted to the Pythian Home and had attended the Lafayette schools for several months, the Lafayette schools called to the attention of the Pythian Home Board the fact that the statutes of the State of Indiana require reimbursement to the Lafayette schools on the part of the school units from which the several children of school age came to Lafayette or in which the living parent now resides. The school authorities advised the Board that this was a matter over which they had no control or discretion and that they were required by the State Board of Education to enforce the statutes. The Board has found that the Indiana statute in question covers fraternal homes and many other institutions and their provisions are enforced in the school units where are located other fraternal institutions.

At the request of the Lafayette schools, the Board has been endeavoring for many months to assist in obtaining transfers in compliance with this law for the Pythian Home children who were already residents of the Home and were attending the Lafayette schools. In some instances the transfers were granted without question or delay. In others, there has been difficulty in establishing the matter of legal residence so as to fix responsibility for the transfers.

The Board regrets to report that several school corporations have flatly refused to comply with the provisions of the state law and have displayed an amazing attitude in ignoring correspondence on the subject and in failing to act. When the provisions of this statute became known to the Board, it was immediately made a condition upon the acceptance of any child of school age that proper school transfers accompany the child, and since that time there has been little difficulty on this point. However, there remains the possibility that some children who have enjoyed the advantages of the Pythian Home for nearly three years may be yet obliged to retire and return to their former homes unless the school authorities in those respective places can be prevailed upon to adjust the matter of transfers. The Board is still in correspondence in these cases and hopes that satisfactory adjustment can be made without penalizing the children through no fault of their own.

Donations to the Home.

A great many contributions, including gifts of every description have reached the Pythian Home during the year, for which grateful acknowledgment is made in behalf of the residents and the management of the Home. Every possible precaution is taken to record accurately the names and addresses of the donors but a few omissions from the list each year appear to be inevitable. It will always be appreciated if attention is called to an oversight in this so that correction may be made.

Lora B. Bantham, Indianapolis, Sunday school papers.
Guy Strickler, Indianapolis, set of 12 O. Henry books.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wade, Indianapolis, picture for boys' social room.
Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey, Lafayette, watermelons, peanuts, flower bulb.
Otto Hienmiller, Lafayette, 16 books, scraps and pocketbooks.
James and Bobby Baxter, Rising Sun, box of toys.
Mrs. Albert Wells, Lafayette, box of cookies.
E. D. Hiday, Greenfield, box of pure sugar candy.
Emory J. Yeager, Lafayette, 22 Victrola records.
Mrs. Alma Ballenger, Lafayette, magazines.
Venus Temple No. 50, Newcastle, 100 cans of fruits and jellies.
Aurora Temple No. 409, Aurora, 18 pieces of embroidery work.
Roy L. Metsker, Lafayette, magazines.
Dorner & Son's Co., Lafayette, flowers.
Fred Palin, Wingate, magazines.
Duneland Temple No. 435, Michigan City, $10.00 to buy fruit.

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GRAND LODGE TRUSTEES

Mrs, C. T. Eisenbach, Lafayette, magazines and quiltscraps.
Miss Ella Bryan, Lafayette, artificial bouquet of roses.
Harry Wade, Indianapolis, 25 books.
Harry McMillin, Indianapolis, clothing.
Morocco Temple No. 326, Morocco, 96 cans fruit, 1 bag carrots, beets.
Fleur-De-Lis Temple No. 128, Lowell, 12 packages of scraps, 46 cans of fruit and jelly.
Success Temple No. 310, Seymour, 166 cans of fruit and jelly.
Moonlight Temple No. 255, South Bend, 24 cans apricots, 12 cans of peaches, 12 cans of pineapple.
Euclid Temple No. 145, Sunman, 35 cans of fruit.
Tatapochon Temple No. 49, Peru, 40 cans of fruit, 1 package Christmas cards, 1 box of rolled oats.
Monroe Temple No. 154, Bloomington, 45 cans of fruit and jelly.
Milltown Temple No. 335, Milltown, 20 cans of fruit.
Jasonville Temple No. 400, Jasonville, 46 cans of fruit.
Laporte Temple No. 336, Laporte, 50 cans of fruit and jelly.
Mrs. Ida Neal, G. J., Aurora, Sunshine Girls, dolls, toys, football.
Olympia Temple No. 78, Lafayette, 54 cans fruit, 20 glasses jelly.
Vesta Temple No. 38, Connersville, oranges, scraps, 59 cans of fruit and jelly, 1 can of candy.
Purity Temple No. 11, North Manchester, 53 cans of fruit and jelly.
Olive Branch Temple No. 55, Andrews, 14 cans fruit and jelly.
White River Temple No. 18, Bedford. 26 cans of peaches.
Emerald Temple No. 369, Cloverdale, 17 cans fruit and jelly.
Lebanon Temple No. 20, Lebanon, 51 cans of fruit and jelly.
Bremen Temple No. 201, Bremen, 34 cans of fruit and jelly.
Faith Temple No. 42, Linton, 50 cans of fruit.
Lone Tree Temple No. 433, Greensburg, 40 cans of fruit.
Naomi Temple No. 330, Monticello, 2 dozen cans of peaches.
Whiting Lodge, 32 cans fruit.
East Chicago Lodge, 9 cans fruit, 1 box candy.
Frankfort Temple No. 239, Frankfort, 125 cans of fruit.
Mrs. Silas Wallace, Edinburg, scraps, pillow case, fruit.
Mrs. Thomas Perry, Union Banner Temple No. 185, Galveston, 48 cans fruit.
Knightstown Temple No. 287, Knightstown, 18 cakes.
Vesta Temple No. 38, Connersville, box scraps.
Clover Temple No. 62, Huntingburg, 24 quarts fruit.
Lincoln Temple No. 213, Williamsport, 25 cans fruit.
Corydon Temple No. 430, Corydon, 35 cans fruit.
Sunlight Temple No. 286, Mishawaka, 4 cases No. 10 fruit.
Sullivan Temple No. 212, Sullivan, 18 cans fruit and jelly.
Mayflower Temple No. 136, Summitville, scraps for the girls.
Salem Temple No. 427, Salem, 41 cans fruit.
R. G. Utter Shoe Company, Lafayette, 10 pairs zippers and boots.
Arbor Vitae Temple No. 113, Brownsburg, 45 cans fruit.
Laurel Temple No. 21, Greenfield, 45 cans of fruit.
Olive Temple No. 169, Waterloo, 28 cans of fruit.
Garnet Temple No. 359, Orleans, 39 cans of fruit.
Myrtle Temple No. 7, Indianapolis, 12 little Old Hickory chairs (for girls.)
Martin L. Davey, Kent, Ohio, Spruce tree.
Orphans Board of Pythian Sisters, Mrs. Minnie Johnson, Secretary.
2 years' subscription to Child Life.
1 year subscription to Every Child's Magazine.
1 year subscription to Womans' Home Companion.
3 years subscription to Country Gentlemen.
Harmony Temple No. 3, Elwood, 56 cans fruit and preserves.
National Temple No. 175, Greenwood, 82 cans of fruit and jelly.
Elias Dold and family, Sellersburg, 24 cans fruit.
United Temple No. 276, Fairland, 25 cans fruit.

White River Temple No. 18, Bedford, scraps and quilt blocks.
Past Chiefs Club, Lowell, money for two lamps in children's part.
Michigantown Temple No. 390, Michigantown, 75 cans fruit.
Moonlight Temple No. 255, South Bend, dolls and scraps.
Franklin Temple No. 417, Franklin, 50 cans fruit.
Camden Temple No. 393, Camden, 20 cans fruit.
Mr. J. A. Ridgeway, Lafayette, 5 men's coats, 1 pair trousers, 7 dresses, 5 coats, 4 hats, 2 caps, 1 hat.
Past Chief's Club, Bloomington, 1 dozen tea towels.
Kendallville Temple No. 147, Kendallville, 35 cans fruit.
Josephine and Louis Eckmen, Morocco, 7 scrap books.
Miss Ruth Borden, Indianapolis, 11 books.
Mr. J. A. Leechman, Lafayette, magazines.
Banner Temple No. 37, Indianapolis, 95 cans fruit, 28 lbs. sugar, 1 package rice.
W. F. Millholland, Indianapolis, box magazines.
Harry Wade, Indianapolis, 30 Victrola records.
Oxford Temple No. 204, Oxford, fruit.
Gleanors Temple No. 418, Stone's Crossing, 24 cans fruit.
Pine Temple No. 299, Pine Village, 31 cans fruit.
Ruth Temple No. 36, Garrett, box clothing, scraps, dolls.
Stowe F. Masterson, Lafayette, guitar.
Mrs. J. D. Bartlett, Lafayette, magazines.
Golden Temple No. 117, Carmel, 36 glasses of jelly and preserves.
Lone Tree Temple No. 433, Greensburg, $5 Easter treat.
Robert Page, Kokomo, 12 magazines, 25 books for boys.
Banner Temple No. 37, Indianapolis, 3 books.
Centenial Temple, Remington, 25 quarts canned fruit.
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shambaugh, Lafayette, Easter candy.
Mrs. W. A. Clemons, Lafayette, colored hen eggs.
Monroe Temple No. 154, Bloomington, 2 lamps for girls department.
H. S. Detrow, Jeffersonville, 24 cloth rabbits.
Harry South, Indianapolis, 6 chairs, 32 magazines, 10 books.
Ellen C. Zaring, Indianapolis, 25 magazines for old folks.
Mrs. Henry Stotz, Vallonia, gladioli bulbs.
Mrs. George Gossman, Brownstown, canna bulbs.
Cash Kern, Brownstown, dahlia bulbs.
Mrs. Emma Gossman, Vallonia, dahlia bulbs.
Milo L. Craft, Brownstown, lilly of valley, poppy seed.
Mrs. Henry Alderidge, Vallonia, canna bulbs.
Red Cross Lodge No. 88, Portland, shrubbery and bulbs.
Mrs. Frank Schaibley, Lafayette, magazines.
Mr. Frank Best, Lafayette, 15 books, 18 magazines.
Julius Wade, Lafayette, 12 magazines.
Mrs. Fred Campbell, Thorntown, 15½ quarts canned fruit.
Mrs. H. C. McMillin, Indianapolis, clothing, magazines, doll furniture.
Gary Temple No. 403, Gary, candy and greetings for all mothers.
Mrs. R. C. Eisenback, Lafayette, magazines.
Dorner Sons, Lafayette, flowers.
H. F. Murphy, Indianapolis, 12 quarts canned fruits and jellies.
Morris Breunig, Indianapolis, magazines.
Mrs. M. Schultz, Lafayette, 12 dresser scarfs.
Warren Goddard, Lafayette, little boy's clothing.
Frank Shellhouse, Indianapolis, 20 pounds candy.
Thos. N. Ross, Lafayette, 104 copies Literary Digest, 104 copies Time.
Marion Co. Pythian Sisters Assn., $45.00 for Band Uniform Fund.

Christmas.

Christmas is a happy time in the individual home and it will be appreciated that Christmas in a family of 130 people, more than fifty

of whom are children, is an event of unusual magnitude and importance. Would that those who have made the Christmas' at the Pythian Home such happy events could but look in upon the scene on Christmas Eve in the great dining room. Picture a great Christmas tree, its branches drooping under the weight of mysterious packages. Picture fifty-seven earnest faces of boys and girls of all ages, about a dozen being between three and seven years of age. Listen for a moment to the delightful program of music by the Pythian Home Band, songs and recitations by the little folks, Christmas songs and stories by the older folks, Santa Claus literally bursting into the room to distribute gifts and scatter happiness to young and old. These words give but an outline of the Christmas Eve scene in your Pythian Home.

For days, the mail has been bringing in packages and letters with checks in them. For days the superintendent, matron and their assistants have been working and planning the details of this event. For days every child's heart has throbbed with excitement and those who have entered the Pythian Home after the preceding Christmas are wondering if Santa Claus will know where to find them this year. Santa Claus has the assistance on this occasion of thousands of Knights and Pythian Sisters in Indiana who have thought of the boys and girls and the old folks too at the Pythian Home and have joined in making Christmas the same happy event to them that it is in their own homes. Following is a list of the presents of which it was possible to make record in connection with the Christmas observance in 1929, also the cash contributions to the Christmas Fund.

Cash.

Harry Wade, Indianapolis	$10.00
Arion Lodge No. 254, Indianapolis	10.00
Order of Pirates, Anderson Crew No. 12	10.00
Lake County Lodges	23.51
Duneland Temple No. 435, Michigan City	10.00
Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville	10.00
Hercules Lodge No. 127, Peru	10.00
Wm. S. Morse, Michigan City	10.00
Sellersburg Lodge No. 417, Sellersburg	5.00
Monroe Temple No. 154, Bloomington	10.00
Pythian Sisters Penny Club Diana Temple 30, Logansport	5.00
West Indianapolis Lodge No. 244, Indianapolis	10.00
Aurora Temple No. 409, Aurora	10.00
Patriot Temple No. 422, Patriot	5.00
Dolph E. Farr, P. G. C., Edinburg	5.00
Pythian Sisters of Clinton County	5.00
Crescens Lodge No. 33, New Castle	10.00
Hope Lodge No. 13 and Jeffersonville Temple No. 425, Jeffersonville	62.65
O. R. Heinmiller, Lafayette	1.00
Ed. G. Little, Lafayette	1.00

Christmas Donations.

Dryfus Meat Market, Lafayette, 1 smoked ham.
Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis, toys, candy, oranges.
Capt. E. H. Dame, Delphi, 1 crate of oranges.
Col. E. T. Blythe, Delphi, 1 crate of oranges.
J. W. Garriott, Wilkinson, box of toys.
Irvin Newlin of Carmel Lodge No. 355, books, clothing, toys.
Ft. Wayne Lodge No. 116 and Phoenix Lodge No. 101, Ft. Wayne, toys and candy.
Dorner & Sons Co., Lafayette, a flower for every resident and 6 poinsettas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wade, and Fred, Indianapolis, big cake to serve 150 people.

Welcome Lodge No. 37, Muncie, cookies and a gift for the lady in their room.

Orphans Board, Pythian Sisters, Indianapolis, 3 books, 2 copies of "The Peoples Magazine."

Lafayette Lodge No. 51, Lafayette, apples, oranges, candy.

Chas. Shambaugh, Lafayette, 1 bucket candy.

A. W. Clemens, Lafayette, 1 bucket candy.

Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Indianapolis, candy, nuts and gifts for Fred Featherstone and Dan Cahill of their lodge.

Leo Pottlitzer and Son Co., Lafayette, 1 basket of apples.

Hope Lodge No. 13, and Jeffersonville Temple No. 425, Jeffersonville, clothing, ties, candy, fruit, trinkets, grocery articles.

Liberty Temple No. 25, Liberty, 75 books.

East Chicago Temple No. 391, East Chicago, games, toys, dolls, books.

Cromwell Temple No. 146, Cromwell, comforter and 6 dolls.

J. H. Lacher, Lafayette, 100 pounds English walnuts.

Gary Temple No. 403, Gary, subscription to Saturday Evening Post, Ladies' Home Journal, basket ball for the boys, dominoes, playing cards, candy, 3 sleds.

Sunlight Temple No. 286, Mishawaka, Indiana, 2 years' subscription to "Child Life."

Wm. A. Schroeder and family, of Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City, dolls, saxaphone, candy, cookies, toys.

Miller-Parrott Baking Company, Terre Haute, 13 dozen boxes of animal crackers.

Dorcas Temple No. 75, Edinburg, box of toys.

Mrs. Emma Schattel, Richmond, 21 pairs of stockings.

Mrs. Luella Forgey, Galveston, scraps for doll clothes.

Mrs. J. S. Leslie, Galveston, scraps for doll clothes, books.

Herman B. Lodde, Jewelry Store, Lafayette, 13 necklaces.

Wells Yeager Best, Lafayette, 32 pounds of candy.

Dr. F. B. Thompson, Lafayette, 3 baskets of apples.

National Temple No. 75, Greenwood, gifts for every child.

Monitor Temple No. 244, Myrtle Temple No. 7, Banner Temple No. 37, and Irvington Temple No. 411, all of Indianapolis, handkerchief and cap for each lady, handkerchief for each man, gift for every child.

Laporte Temple No. 336, Laporte, candy, cookies, nuts, crackerjack, oranges, apples.

Daisy Duvall, G. C., Richmond, box of chocolates for the residents.

Mrs. Verna Haxton, Mellott, 2 mantle lamps for the boys' social room.

Allowances.

Allowances have been made during the year totaling $4,827.00 for the assistance of Pythian Home applicants who could not be accepted for actual admission to the Pythian Home, or who were able with a small amount of assistance regularly each month to get along without entering the Pythian Home. Through the medium of this work authorized by the Grand Lodge Convention in 1928, the Pythian Home Board has been able to extend moderate assistance to a considerable number of applicants in addition to those actually entering the Home. These allowances have ranged from $5.00 a month to $12.00 per month, except in extreme cases.

The Board has required the same form of application and has made the same investigations as if the applicant were expected to enter the Home. In many cases the allowance has been made because there was no other choice in view of the urgent need of the applicant and the crowded condition of the Pythian Home. The Board has rechecked

the circumstances periodically and has discontinued allowances whenever it was found that conditions had improved so that allowances were no longer needed. In only one instance did later developments prove the recipient to be unworthy. Following is the list of allowances granted during the fiscal year.

Wm. C. Hardin, Morning Star Lodge No. 136, Wilkinson, resides at Knightstown	180.00
F. E. Fleming, Reddington Lodge No. 281, Reddington, resides at Columbus	120.00
Albert L. Kennedy, Occidental Lodge No. 18, Terre Haute, resides at Carbon	180.00
Alfred L. Goodrich, Fredonia Lodge No. 122, Rochester, died February 23, 1930	120.00
Edward H. Shoemaker, Ivy Lodge No. 27, Rushville, resides at Ellsworth, Kansas	180.00
Henry D. Sherlock, Arion Lodge No. 254, Indianapolis, admitted to Pythian Home November 22, 1929	50.00
Elmer B. Acheson, Wayne Lodge No. 393, West Point, resides at West LaFayette, discontinued January 31, 1930	84.00
Willis H. Cox, Stinesville Lodge No. 337, Stinesville, resides at Bloomington	144.00
Daniel Peffley and wife, New Market Lodge No. 266, New Market, reside at New Market	200.00
A. V. Savage, Carnahan Lodge No. A, Indianapolis, resides at Cayuga	120.00
Frank Painter, Imperial Lodge No. 240, Mulberry, resides at Wolcott	120.00
Logan M. Janes, Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville, resides at Monrovia	180.00
Cover S. McClure, Kekionga Lodge No. 65, Decatur, resides at Decatur	180.00
Lillian A. Bryan, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis, resides in San Francisco, California	165.00
Claud Turley, Tunnelton Lodge No. 168, Tunnelton, discontinued July 16, 1929	12.00
Clyde Carver, Orestes Lodge 471, Orestes, discontinued November 9, 1929	80.00
Thomas C. Goodno, Hesperian Lodge No. 12, Franklin, resides at Seymour	120.00
Wesley Burris, Smithville Lodge No. 530, Smithville, resides at Smithville	240.00
John F. Atz, Milltown Lodge No. 304, Milltown, resides at Indianapolis	144.00
Harry S. Slack, Center Lodge No. 216, Indianapolis, resides at Los Angeles California (died July 25, 1930)	180.00
Ulla G. Little, Tunnelton Lodge No. 168, Tunnelton, resides at Phoenix, Ariz.	180.00
Amelia J. Hays, Hermion Lodge No. 44, Seymour, resides at Indianapolis	96.00
Richard O. Ruddell, Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville, discontinued November 30, 1929	75.00
Walter Webber, Harmonie Lodge No. 69, Aurora, died March 20, 1930	100.00
R. C. Ellis, Johnson Lodge No. 437, Trafalgar, resides at Trafalgar	120.00
Joseph W. Swift, Hermion Lodge No. 44, Seymour, resides at Indianapolis	120.00

Charles Thompson, Wawaka Lodge No. 432, Wawaka, resides at Williamston, Mich	180.00
A. L. Wyatt, Hebron Lodge No. 405, Hebron, resides at Hammond	105.00
Chas. W. Herman, Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Indianapolis resides at Indianapolis	120.00
Cass Owen, Medora Lodge No. 239, Medora, resides at Brownstown	88.00
Caleb A. Hopkins and wife, Roll Lodge No. 347, Roll, reside at Lafayette	118.00
Jerry Starrett, Carbon Lodge No. 145, Carbon, resides at Brazil	40.00
James O'Malley, Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Knightstown, died August 19, 1930	64.00
Wm. H. Vaughn and wife, Lafayette Lodge No. 51, Lafayette, reside at Lafayette	120.00
Perry Misner and wife, 19th Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis, reside at Indianapolis	64.00
Wm. C. Porter and wife, Redkey Lodge No. 383, Redkey, reside at Redkey	96.00
Thomas Wolverton, St. Paul Lodge No. 368, St. Paul, resides at St. Paul	70.00
John Hardman, Cardonia Lodge No. 139, Cardonia, resides at Staunton	48.00
Noah Williams, Odon Lodge No 272, Odon, resides at Odon	30.00
Henry J. Maurer, Monami Lodge No. 222, South Whitley, resides at South Whitley	30.00
Charles Cooper, Hammond Lodge No. 210, Hammond, resides at Hammond	24.00
Thomas J. Smith, Carnahan Lodge No. A, Indianapolis, admitted to Pythian Home June 28, 1930	24.00
Hosea V. Johnson, Mecca Lodge No. 488, Mecca, admitted to Pythian Home July 4, 1929	15.00
Walter Plummer, Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Indianapolis (temporary)	36.00
Miscellaneous special payments	65.00
Total	$4,827.00

Audit—Costs.

Under the direction of Grand Trustee Fred E. Swaim, a professional accountant, report forms were prepared and have been made out at the end of each month by the secretary for each member of the board showing a comprehensive report of the receipts, expenditures and cost under the several classifications for the operation and maintenance of the Home for that month. Calculations have been made monthly of the cost per day, the cost per resident and the cost per resident per day of operating the Home. The Board is pleased to report the per capita cost has been reduced during the year from $1.17 per resident per day, when the report was made a year ago, to $1.06 per day as of June 30, 1930. The Board has effected still further economies in the operation of the Home by which it is expecting to reduce the cost to a still lower figure during the current year.

All accounts of the secretary, treasurer, and superintendent have been audited quarterly by the sub-committee of the Board under direction of Brother Swaim. These audits have been detailed and exacting and have resulted not only in establishing that the records are correctly kept and in proper balance, but they have revealed many things of importance along financial lines which have had the careful consideration of the Board.

Conclusion.

Your Board has endeavored to embody in this report a complete and detailed account of the year's activities at the Pythian Home, not only as regards finances, but all phases of operating this great benevolent enterprise. We urge that the report be read in full by all representatives and members of the Grand Lodge and that it be considered thoughtfully by each.

We urge further that every member of the Grand Lodge Convention inspect the Pythian Home, buildings and grounds closely on the occasion of the annual visit on Tuesday afternoon during Grand Lodge; that you observe the improvements to the property made during the year; the progress made in building up the farm; the upkeep and general appearance of the buildings, inside and out; the beautification of the grounds and the general condition of the Home.

The Board has at all times striven conscientiously to administer the affairs of the Pythian Home with the utmost economy, to make the resources of the Pythian Home do the greatest good to the greatest number of members and lodges, and to safeguard in every way the interests of the subordinate lodges and the individual members of this great Order, who after all are the real owners of the Pythian Home. The Board will welcome comments, suggestions and constructive criticism at any and all times. The meetings of the Board are not held behind closed doors, and any member of the Order who desires to come before the Board at any time is welcome to do so.

The Board feels that no further expenditures for completing and equipping the Pythian Home will be necessary for an indefinite time. Some three years have been required to complete some details, especially as regards the farm, but with the possible exception with some expense in connection with the paving of South Eighteenth street, which will probably be in progress by the time of the Grand Lodge visit, no expenditure of funds need be contemplated during the coming year, save for the routine operating expenses of the Home, which the Board will endeavor to hold at the lowest possible figure.

We respectfully submit this report and trust that it and the services of the members of the Board are such as to merit the approval of the members of the Grand Lodge and of the Order.

Fraternally submitted,

INDIANA PYTHIAN HOME BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
Charles S. Loy, Chairman.
Colin V. Dunbar, Vice-Chairman.
Carl R. Mitchell, Secretary.
W. W. Crooker.
Charles A. Phelps.
Fred E. Swaim.
Samuel L. Trabue.

REPORT OF SECRETARY PYTHIAN HOME BOARD.

Indianapolis, August 1, 1930.

I herewith submit detailed report of the receipts from all sources and orders drawn on the Treasurer for all purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930.

Receipts.

Per Capita Tax	$45,899.90
Donations	1,363.85
Rents and Income from Acquired Property	33.75
Interest	329.64
Funeral Benefits	325.00
Support	1,992.50
Donations to Band Instrument and Uniform Fund	349.53
Miscellaneous Receipts	34.85
Farm Products Sold	957.54
Sale of Team and Hogs	679.20
From Residents	549.71
Miscellaneous Refunds	367.76
Photographs	38.35
Miscellaneous Sales	26.50
Rent	40.00
Fire Insurance Claim	986.52
Compensation Insurance Claim	73.28
Total Receipts	$54,047.88

Disbursements.

Operating—	
Food	$15,167.67
Supplies	1,147.43
Clothing	2,119.17
Salaries and Wages	5,020.42
Education	344.55
Health and Hospital	4,697.90
Laundry	3,649.14
Gas	618.41
Freight, Express, Hauling	16.45
Barber	731.61
Miscellaneous Operating Expenses	324.77
Life Insurance Premiums	148.91
Automobile Expense	752.68
Funerals	546.25
Maintenance—	
Engine Room—Labor	1,200.00
Grounds—Labor and Supplies	1,341.49
Light and Power	1,626.88
Coal	1,668.29
Water	339.32
Miscellaneous Maintenance Expenses	28.09
Repairs	1,509.09
Insurance, Fire, Compensation	240.77
Administration—	
Salaries	3,043.19
Investigating and Traveling	1,033.29
Office Expense	249.10
Publicity	53.47
Miscellaneous Administration Expenses	288.99
Telephone and Telegraph	366.11

Farm—	
Farm Labor	2,098.87
Garden	181.96
Repair of Equipment	132.89
Repair of Farm Buildings	394.76
Seeds	126.08
Fertilizer	185.17
Miscellaneous Farm Expenses	168.19
Farm Supplies	104.20
Feed	324.84
Capital Accounts—	
Real Estate	417.84
Buildings	4,220.93
Furnishings	748.51
Equipment	1,967.70
Farm Buildings	12,450.94
Farm Equipment	623.14
Prepaid Insurance	23.00
Photographs	18.40
Office Furnishings	20.00
Live Stock	3,147.60
Band Uniform and Instrument	729.08
Adjustment on Al Stafford Account	54.15
Funds Returned to Dan Cahill	1,080.00
Relief—Allowances	4,852.00
Total	$82,334.69

Fraternally submitted,

CARL R. MITCHELL,
Secretary.

REPORT OF TREASURER PYTHIAN HOME BOARD.

Cash on Hand June 30, 1929	$32,800.29
Received from Carl R. Mitchell, Secretary	53,835.38
Received from Interest on Liberty Bonds	212.50
Total	$86,848.17
Paid on Orders Drawn	82,334.69
Balance Cash on Hand June 30, 1930	$4,513.48

Fraternally submitted,

HENRY KAMMERER,
Treasurer.

Document No. 7.

REPORT OF GRAND LODGE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

Indianapolis, August 30, 1930.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Dear Brothers—Your Committee on Finance has completed its annual audit and examination of the books, records and accounts of Carl R. Mitchell, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal; Henry Kammerer, Grand Master of Exchequer; John H. Frank, Building Manager; Wm. B. Gray, Superintendent of the Pythian Home, and of Carl R. Mitchell and Henry

Kammerer as Secretary and Treasurer respectively of the Indiana Pythian Home, an examination which commenced on August 26, 1930, and begs to submit its report as follows:

As to the office of Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, we found all books, records and accounts to be in excellent condition, properly and accurately kept with all moneys received and disbursed accounted for and supported by proper vouchers. The records of James R. Carnahan Lodge are correct and in balance. We commend Brother Mitchell and his office force for their efficient handling of the intricate details of the business affairs of the Grand Lodge and of the Pythian Home.

As to the office of Grand Master of Exchequer, we found all books and accounts to be correctly and efficiently kept and in perfect balance. We commend Grand Master of Exchequer Kammerer for his zealous attention to the financial affairs of the Grand Lodge.

As to the office of Building Manager, we found the books, records and accounts of his office to be in perfect order, properly kept and all receipts and disbursements properly entered and accounted for. We are pleased to note that a reduction of $10,000.00 was made in the first mortgage indebtedness of the building during the year, notwithstanding a higher percentage of vacancies, due to business depression, and loss of tenants to newly completed office buildings.

We especially commend the Grand Lodge Trustees and Pythian Home Board in authorizing a detailed quarterly audit of the accounts of the Pythian Building and Pythian Home by a sub-committee of each Board, headed by Grand Trustee Swaim. We feel that this close touch with the financial affairs of both properties has been invaluable to the governing boards throughout the year and we earnestly recommend that this pratice be continued.

We have also examined the financial transactions of Wm. B. Gray, Superintendent of the Pythian Home, including funds coming into his hands from miscellaneous sources, all of which has been remitted promptly to the Grand Lodge office, and in the handling of the payroll for the employees of the Pythian Home and the Revolving Fund. All records were correctly kept and in balance.

Your Committee further reports that under the authority of Section 99A of the Grand Lodge Statutes, which was enacted at the Grand Lodge Convention on October 2nd, 1929, a careful examination was made into the financial dealings between the subordinate lodges and the Grand Lodge. The results and findings of this examination have been embodied in a special report to the Grand Chancellor and Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, a copy of which has been submitted for publication in the advance report.

Fraternally submitted,

FRED J. RHORER,
ALLEN MOORE,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
Committee on Finance.

Document No. 8.

Special Report of Grand Chancellor

Swayzee, September 5, 1930.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Whereas, the Finance Committee has concluded its annual audit of the accounts and records of the offices of the Grand Lodge, and the financial transactions of said Grand Lodge with the several subordinate lodges, their reports and relations, and reported their findings to me by special report.

(Section 251 of the Supreme Lodge Statutes defines the method of legally suspending a member for non-payment of dues and Section 99A of the Grand Lodge Statutes defines the duties of the Finance Committee with reference to financial transactions between subordinate lodges and the Grand Lodge.)

Whereas, said Finance Committee has jurisdiction in said subject matter covered in said report, and

Whereas, said Committee finds that certain subordinate lodges by reason of delay or delinquency in connection with the filing of semi-annual reports and the payment of per capita tax, have incurred penalties, and

Whereas, said Committee recommends and decrees that such penalties be charged against and collected from such subordinate lodges, and

Whereas, said Committee finds that certain subordinate lodges have not complied with the provisions of Section 251 of the Supreme Statutes and hence have illegally suspended certain of their members, and

Whereas, said Committee recommends and decrees that such members so improperly and illegally suspended be restored to membership, that the records of said several subordinate lodges, and the records of the Grand Lodge be corrected accordingly, and that the per capita tax on said members be paid to the Grand Lodge, by said several subordinate lodges as other per capita tax is charged and collected,

Whereupon, I now hereby notify all lodges in said report named, that said report and the matters and findings therein contained will come up for hearing and final approval at the coming session of the Grand Lodge on October 8, 1930, unless their reports are corrected according thereto.

Now therefore, I submit and report all matters and things therein contained to you for your approval and all other proper action thereto pertaining.

Fraternally yours,

CHARLES S. LOY,
Grand Chancellor.

Document No. 9.

Special Report and Findings of Grand Lodge Committee on Finance.

Indianapolis, August 30, 1930.

Charles S. Loy, Grand Chancellor,
Carl R. Mitchell, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal,
Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Dear Brothers—Your Committee on Finance, having made a careful examination as of August 26, 1930, of the financial dealings of the subordinate lodges and the Grand Lodge under the authority of Section 99A of the Grand Lodge Statutes, herewith submits to you its report and findings.

Your Committee finds that the prevailing custom in this Grand Lodge of carrying open accounts with the subordinate lodges under which supplies ordered by the lodges are shipped upon receipt of the order, invoice being sent to the lodge, is resulting in much unnecessary slowness and carelessness on the part of subordinate lodges in settling their accounts with the Grand Lodge.

The amount shown as due from subordinate lodges at the end of the fiscal year is larger than in any previous year and the amount has been increasing from year to year.

We recognize that this method of dealing with subordinate lodges is a matter of convenience to them and we would be reluctant to advocate an abrupt change from this system to that of requiring cash with the order before any supplies can be shipped. But we do feel that unless it can in some manner be made clear to the subordinate lodges that the invoices from the Grand Lodge must have prompt and businesslike attention, it will sooner or later become necessary to go on the cash basis. The statutes of the Grand Lodge require the Grand Lodge officers to procure a schedule bond each year protecting the subordinate lodges in lieu of the old system of personal bonds. The annual premium on these bonds is charged to each subordinate lodge and we find that a great many lodges are very slow about remitting these small amounts of annual premium each year.

We recommend that these matters be called to the attention of the subordinate lodges either through action of the Grand Lodge or a communication from the Grand Lodge officers and that if no improvement is noted within the coming year that the matter be given proper attention at the Grand Lodge Convention in 1931.

The audit just completed is the first to be conducted since the enactment of the statute mentioned. Under the authority of this law, your Committee has checked the financial dealings of the Grand Lodge with the subordinate lodges much more closely than has been customary in other years. This examination shows that a number of lodges are delinquent as to semi-annual report and per capita tax for the term ending June 30, 1930, and that some lodges are delinquent for one or more terms prior to 1930, and that many other lodges have been late from one to twenty-six days in forwarding their reports and tax and in consequence are subject to penalty as provided in other sections of the Grand Lodge Statutes.

We are informed by the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal that these are not new conditions and that they have existed in former years and that they present problems with which various administrations in the past have wrestled without arriving at a satisfactory solution. It is the belief of your Committee that much of this delay is due to inexcusable carelessness or tardiness on the part of subordinate lodge officers. We commend the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal and other officers of the Grand Lodge in their efforts to show consideration to the lodges in past efforts to deal with these conditions but in view of the fact that these conditions are becoming worse each term rather than better, we are of the belief that these efforts to show consideration have not been appreciated in the subordinate lodges and that a different and better method of handling the problem must be arranged.

We therefore consider it the duty of this Committee to submit to you in detail, the findings of the Committee as regards delayed and delinquent reports and per capita tax remittances and we attach herewith such a report for the term ending June 30, 1930. Some of the lodges delinquent at this time were also delinquent last December, but we are pleased to note that some lodges which were delinquent at that time, have made their report and paid their tax promptly for this term. We believe this to be due to the increased interest in subordinate lodge activity occasioned by the strenuous efforts exerted by the officers of the Grand Lodge during the past year.

The following lodges were delinquent as of the date of this report, or had been for the number of days shown.

Crusade Lodge No. 14, South Bend, per capita tax 22 days late. penalty	$2.75
Occidental Lodge No. 18, Terre Haute, report and tax 10 days late, penalty	2.50
Eureka Lodge No. 20, Greenfield, tax received July 31st, report still delinquent, penalty to this date	3.25
Mystic Lodge No. 23, Harrodsburg, report and tax received August 27th, penalty	6.75
Danville Lodge No. 48, Danville, report and tax delinquent, penalty to this date	6.50
Kekionga Lodge No. 65, Decatur, report and tax one day late, penalty	.25

Silliman, Lodge No. 66, Rockville, report and tax 7 days late, penalty 1.75
Damon Lodge No. 72, Kentland, report 21 days late, tax still delinquent, penalty to this date..... 6.00
Monticello Lodge No. 73, Monticello, tax received July 14th, report still delinquent, penalty to this date..... 3.25
Laurel Lodge No. 74, Laurel, tax four days late, report still delinquent penalty to this date..... 3.75
Corydon Lodge No. 79, Corydon, report and tax 2 days late, penalty. .50
Delphi Lodge No. 80, Delphi, report 19 days late, tax 11 days late, penalty..... 3.75
Invincible Lodge No. 84, Union City, report and tax delinquent for terms ending June 30, 1929, December 31, 1929, and June 30, 1930, penalty to date..... 24.00
Sullivan Lodge No. 85, Sullivan, report and tax seven days late, penalty..... 1.75
Penn Lodge No. 87, Bloomingdale, report and tax 6 days late, penalty 1.50
Red Cross Lodge No. 88, Portland, report and tax 1 day late, penalty .25
Bluffton Lodge No. 92, Bluffton, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Eden Lodge No. 99, Spencer, report and tax one day late, penalty.. .25
Crystal Lodge No. 105, Columbia City, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Kendallville Lodge No. 109, Kendallville, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Garrett City Lodge No. 130, Garrett, report and tax delinquent, also previous terms unadjusted, penalty to date..... 6.50
Wabash Lodge No. 140, Wabash, report and tax one day late, penalty .25
LaGrange Lodge No. 144, LaGrange, report and tax 6 days late, penalty..... 1.50
Mitchell Lodge No. 150, Mitchell, report and tax 1 day late, penalty .25
Centerville Lodge No. 154, Centerville, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Spiceland Lodge No. 163, Spiceland, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Elwood Lodge No. 166, Elwood, report and tax 1 day late, penalty... .25
Beacon Lodge No. 170, Poseyville, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Chevalier Lodge No. 183, Oakland City, report and tax delinquent since June 30, 1926, penalty to date..... 48.00
Mooresville Lodge No. 189, Mooresville, report and tax 1 day late, penalty..... .25
Sunlight Lodge No. 190, Pennville, report and tax delinquent, report for December 31, 1929, delinquent, penalty to date..... 10.50
St. Leon Lodge No. 192, Leesburg, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Milroy Lodge No. 204, Milroy, report and tax delinquent for terms ending June 30, 1929, December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date..... 24.00
Center Point Lodge No. 209, Center Point, report 11 days late, tax 5 days late, penalty..... 2.00
Warren Lodge No. 214, West Lebanon, report and tax five days late, penalty..... 1.25
New Palestine Lodge No. 215, New Palestine, report and tax received August 28th, penalty..... 7.00
Loogootee Lodge No. 225, Loogootee, report and tax delinquent term ending December 31, 1929, and June 30, 1930, penalty to date.... 14.50
Kosciusko Lodge No. 230, Syracuse, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Rathbone Lodge No. 232, Waveland, report and tax four days late, penalty..... 1.00
Nashville Lodge No. 235, Nashville, report and tax delinquent terms ending December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date..... 14.50

Medora Lodge No. 239, Medora, report and tax 8 days late, penalty.. 2.00
Riverside Lodge No. 242, Newport, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Pierceton Lodge No. 245, Pierceton, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Corunna Lodge No. 248, Corunna, report and tax 2 days late, penalty .50
Worthington Lodge No. 253, Worthington, report and tax 1 day late, penalty..... .25
Arcadia Lodge No. 256, Arcadia, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Uniondale Lodge No. 259, Uniondale, report and tax delinquent, terms ending December 31, 1929, and June 30, 1930, penalty to date 14.50
Cortland Lodge No. 260, Cortland, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Newark Lodge No. 270, Newark, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Wyandotte Lodge No. 268, Leavenworth, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Winamac Lodge No. 274, Winamac, report and tax delinquent, terms ending June 30, 1928, to and including June 30, 1930, penalty to date 40.00
Rossville Lodge No. 278, Rossville, report and tax 1 day late, penalty .25
Shannondale Lodge No. 279, Shannondale, report and tax 8 days late, penalty..... 2.00
Fountain City Lodge No. 280, Flora, report and tax 5 days late, penalty..... 1.25
Reddington Lodge No. 281, Reddington, report and tax 1 day late, penalty..... .25
Dale Lodge No. 284, Dale, report and tax one day late, penalty..... .25
Cooper Lodge No. 285, Georgetown, report and tax 5 days late, penalty..... 1.25
Indian Springs Lodge No. 292, Indian Springs, report and tax delinquent, terms ending June 30, 1929, December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date..... 24.00
New Ross Lodge No. 294, New Ross, report and tax delinquent, terms ending December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date..... 14.50
Knox Lodge No. 296, Knox, report and tax delinquent since June 30, 1925, penalty to date..... 64.00
Roachdale Lodge No. 297, Roachdale, report and tax delinquent terms ending June 30, 1929, December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date..... 24.00
Milltown Lodge No. 304, Milltown, report and tax 2 days late, penalty .50
Russellville Lodge No. 310, Russellville, report and tax 1 day late, penalty..... .25
Marco Lodge No. 312, Marco, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Spencerville Lodge No. 321, Spencerville, report and tax delinquent, terms ending December 31, 1929, June, 1930, penalty to date.... 14.50
Clover Leaf Lodge No. 330, Greentown, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Camden Lodge No. 332, Camden, report and tax 2 days late, penalty.. .50
Elrod Lodge No. 345, Elrod, report and tax delinquent, terms ending December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date..... 14.50
Summit Lodge No. 350, Stockwell, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50
Wheatfield Lodge No. 353, Wheatfield, report and tax delinquent, also tax delinquent for term ending June 30, 1929, penalty to date.... 10.50
Graham Valley Lodge No. 356, San Jacinto, report and tax 5 days late, penalty..... 1.25
Poland Lodge No. 364, Poland, report and tax 2 days late, penalty... .50
North Webster Lodge No. 367, North Webster, report and tax delinquent since June 30, 1928, penalty to date..... 40.00
St. Paul Lodge No. 368, St. Paul, report and tax 1 day late, penalty.. .25
Bristol Lodge No. 369, Bristol, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date..... 6.50

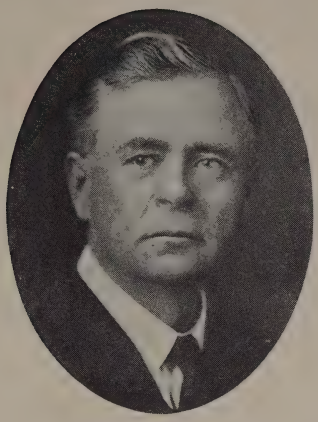
Plainville Lodge No. 371, Plainville, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Park Lodge No. 372, Earl Park, report and tax delinquent term ending December 31, 1928, June 30, 1929, December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date	32.00
Valentine Lodge No. 378, Albany, report and tax 5 days late, penalty	1.25
Crescent Lodge No. 379, Dugger, report and tax 7 days late, penalty	1.75
Houston Lodge No. 387, Houston, report received July 23rd, tax still delinquent, penalty to date	3.25
Artesian Lodge No. 388, Warren, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Lyons Lodge No. 389, Lyons, report and tax delinquent, terms ending December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date	14.50
Wayne Lodge No. 393, West Point, report and tax 2 days late, penalty	.50
Westfield Lodge No. 395, Westfield, report 5 days late, penalty	.63
Francesville Lodge No. 396, Francesville, report and tax 2 days late, penalty	.50
Philemon Lodge No. 399, Tangier, tax for December 31, 1929, unpaid, penalty to date	4.00
Silver Shield Lodge No. 403, Muncie, report and tax delinquent, tax unpaid for terms ending June 30, 1929, December 31, 1929, part of previous adjustment unpaid, penalty to date	14.50
Hebron Lodge No. 405, Hebron, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Abington Lodge No. 406, Abington, tax 11 days late, reports for December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, still out, penalty to date	8.75
Banner Lodge No. 416, Anderson, report and tax 12 days late, penalty	3.00
Sellersburg Lodge No. 417, Sellersburg, report and tax 2 days late, penalty	.50
Markle Lodge No. 423, Markle, report and tax 1 day late, penalty	.25
Brandywine Lodge No. 425, Fairland, report and tax 1 day late, penalty	.25
Star City Lodge No. 427, Star City, report and tax 4 days late, penalty	1.00
Gas City Lodge No. 428, Gas City, report 7 days late, penalty	.88
Mt. Summit Lodge No. 429, Mt. Summit, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Hetfield Lodge No. 433, Newtown, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Bridgeton Lodge No. 435, Bridgeton, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Metamora Lodge No. 445, Metamora, report and tax one day late, penalty	.25
Daleville Lodge No. 452, Daleville, report and tax one day late, penalty	.25
Williamsburg Lodge No. 459, Williamsburg, report and tax delinquent, terms ending December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date	14.50
Caseyville Lodge No. 465, Diamond, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Bellmore Lodge No. 469, Bellmore, report and tax 1 day late, penalty	.25
19th Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis, per capita tax partially paid, penalty to date	3.25
Alfordsville No. 475, Alfordsville, report and tax 1 day late, penalty	.25
Advance Lodge No. 480, Advance, report and tax delinquent since December 31, 1926, penalty to date	64.00
Linden Lodge No. 484, Linden, report and tax delinquent since December 31, 1926, penalty to date	64.00
Mecca Lodge No. 488, Mecca, report and tax 8 days late, penalty	2.00
Kirklin Lodge No. 490, Kirklin, report and tax delinquent since December 31, 1927, penalty to date	48.00
Seelyville Lodge No. 491, Seelyville, report and tax delinquent, terms ending December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date	14.50
Van Buren Lodge No. 496, Van Buren, report and tax 13 days late, penalty	3.25

Buck Creek Lodge No. 497, Buck Creek, report and tax 1 day late, penalty	.25
Monrovia Lodge No. 502, Monrovia, report and tax delinquent, tax for June 30, 1929, unpaid, penalty to date	10.50
Staunton Lodge No. 506, Staunton, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Lewis Lodge No. 511, Lewis, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Fort Ritner Lodge No. 512, Fort Ritner, report and tax delinquent, terms ending December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date	14.50
Indiana Harbor Lodge No. 515, Indiana Harbor, report and tax 2 days late, penalty	.50
Bruceville Lodge No. 517, Bruceville, report and tax 1 day late, penalty	.25
Marling Lodge No. 524, Uniontown, report and tax delinquent, terms ending December 31, 1929, June 30, 1930, penalty to date	14.50
Stanford Lodge No. 525, Stanford, report and tax one day late, penalty	.25
Athenian Lodge No. 527, Velpen, report and tax 4 days late, penalty	1.00
Williams Lodge No. 528, Williams, report and tax delinquent since December 31, 1928, penalty to date	32.00
Smithville Lodge No. 530, Smithville, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Rosetta Lodge No. 539, Belle Union, report and tax delinquent since December 31, 1928, penalty to date	32.00
Blue River Lodge No. 540, Mooreland, report and tax 21 days late, penalty	5.25
Greensfork Lodge No. 543, Greensfork, report and tax 1 day late, penalty	.25
LaCrosse Lodge No. 551, LaCrosse, report 2 days late, tax still unpaid, penalty to date	3.50
Spartanburg Lodge No. 552, Spartanburg, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Clear Creek Lodge No. 558, Clear Creek, report and tax delinquent, penalty to date	6.50
Steele Lodge No. 566, Bainbridge, report and tax delinquent since June 30, 1927, penalty to date	56.00

Under the provisions of Sections 124 and 125 of the Grand Lodge Statutes, your Committee can not do otherwise than return a finding that the lodges which were late in filing their reports and per capita tax are chargeable with the penalties as set out in the foregoing report and that the lodges which are still delinquent, are subject to the penalties provided in said section. It is therefore the finding of this Committee that these penalties as above set out, be charged against the respective lodges and that steps be taken to collect the same.

We recommend that the Grand Lodge officers, District Deputies and other interested members, make every possible effort to obtain the delinquent reports and per capita tax as above set out and that if all reasonable efforts to correct such delinquencies shall fail, that the Grand Chancellor and Grand Keeper of Records and Seal proceed to take up the charters, settle up the affairs and conserve the property of such delinquent lodges in accordance with the statutes of the Order.

We further respectfully report to you that in examining the semi-annual reports from the subordinate lodges and checking their remittances for per capita tax, we find that a large number of the lodges have set out in their reports for the two terms comprising this Grand Lodge year, deductions in membership because of suspensions for non-payment of dues, when the facts indicate that the members so deducted were not given proper notice by the Master of Finance of their approaching liability to suspension or that copies of the notices were not sent to the Grand Lodge office as provided by statute or that members were suspended prematurely in that the period of fifteen months from the date to which they were paid had not elapsed.



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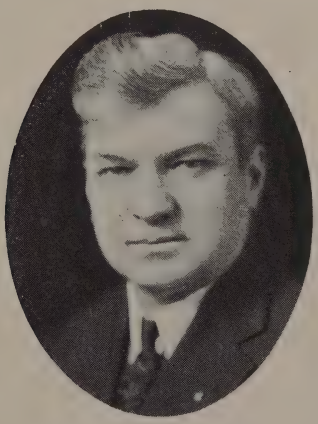

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SUPREME REPRESENTATIVES

We call to your attention, Section 251 of the Supreme Statutes which has been in effect since October 15th, 1926, and which reads as follows:

Section 251. When a member shall be in arrears for dues, fines and assessments equal to the amount of one year's dues, the master of finance of his lodge shall so notify him by mail, addressed to his last known address as shown by the books of the lodge, and that unless such dues, fines and assessments are paid within thirty days from such date, he will be thereby liable to suspension from the lodge and the Order, provided, that no member shall be suspended until fifteen months have elapsed from the date to which said member was paid. Such notice shall state the amount of the member's indebtedness to the lodge and shall be signed by the Chancellor Commander and Master of Finance of the lodge. Copy of said notice shall be mailed to the office of the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal on the same date as the original notice is mailed. At the end of such fifteen months period, if the member is still in arrears for dues, fines and assessments equal to the amount of one year's dues, the Chancellor Commander shall declare the member subject to suspension, and shall place the matter of his suspension before the lodge for action. If a majority of the members present and voting shall vote for the suspension of the member, the Chancellor Commander shall so announce and the member shall stand suspended; provided, further, that nothing in this section shall be construed as compelling any lodge to suspend any member for non-payment of dues.

It is the belief of your committee that many men have been suspended by the several subordinate lodges without due notice having been given these members that their dues were in arrears to an extent which rendered them liable to suspension. The action of any lodge in suspending or attempting to suspend members without proper notice or without complying with the other provisions of Section 251, would be clearly illegal. Your committee finds that a great many lodges have failed to observe one or more of the provisions of this section as shown by the detailed list which we submit herewith.

In the following report, we have listed against the names of the several lodges, the number of deductions entered on account of suspension for non-payment of dues, where the records do not show that the required thirty day notice was sent to the member prior to his suspension or where the notice was sent less than thirty days prior to the suspension or where the member was entered as having been suspended when less than fifteen months had elapsed or where the report from the lodge was incomplete as to the names or amounts or dates for the deductions made. Your Committee must necessarily take the position that where no duplicate notices have been received at the Grand Lodge office, the member listed as having been suspended for non-payment was not legally notified inasmuch as Section 251 of the Supreme Statutes makes the sending of the duplicate notice to the Grand Lodge office, as much a part of the notification of the member, as the original notice which goes to him. We likewise list the name of each lodge, the amount of per capita tax charged against the lodge for the one or two terms as the case may be on the number of illegal suspensions as shown in the list.

	Number of Members to be Restored	Per Capita Tax Due
Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Indianapolis— December report—11 suspended without notice; tax for two terms, $19.80; June report—13 suspended without notice; tax for one term, $11.70	24	$31.50
Richmond Lodge No. 8, Richmond— December report—5 suspended owing less than fifteen months, tax for 2 terms $9.00; June report—3 suspended, notices dated 16 days after suspension; tax for 1 term, $2.70	8	11.70
Cambridge Lodge No. 9, Cambridge City— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax for two terms, $1.80	1	1.80
Connersville Lodge No. 11, Connersville— December report—3 suspended without notice, names not listed; tax for 2 terms, $5.40; June report—9 suspended without notice; tax for 1 term, $9.90	12	13.50
Hesperian Lodge No. 12, Franklin— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax for 2 terms	1	1.80
Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville— December report—25 suspended without notice; tax for 2 terms	25	45.00

	Number of Members to be Restored	Per Capita Tax Due
Crusade Lodge No. 14, South Bend— December report—56 suspended without notice, 3 names not listed, tax for 2 terms, $100.80; June report—10 suspended without notice, dates and amounts not listed, tax for 1 term, $9.00	66	109.80
Occidental Lodge No. 18, Terre Haute— December report—4 suspended without notice; tax for 2 terms, $7.20; June report—18 suspended without notice; tax for 1 term, $16.20	22	23.40
Eureka Lodge No. 20, Greenfield— December report—9 suspended without notice, tax for 2 terms, $16.20	9	16.20
Madison Lodge No. 21, Madison— December report—7 suspended without notice, tax for 2 terms, $12.60	7	12.60
Fountain Lodge No. 24, Kingman— June report—1 suspended without notice, tax for 1 term	1	.90
Ivy Lodge No. 27, Rushville— December report—5 suspended without notice, tax for 2 terms	5	9.00
Rowena Lodge No. 28, New Albany— June report—11 suspended without notice, tax for 1 term	11	9.90
Brazil Lodge No. 30, Brazil— June report—17 suspended without notice, tax for 1 term	17	15.30
Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville— December report—2 suspended without notice, tax for 2 terms, $3.60; June report—4 suspended without notice; 2 owe less than 15 months, tax for 1 term, $3.60	6	7.20
Tidal Lodge No. 36, Covington— December report—3 suspended without notice, tax for 2 terms, $5.40; June report—5 suspended without notice, and 25 days after end of term, tax for 1 term, $4.50	8	9.90
Fidelity Lodge No. 42, Edinburg— December report—2 suspended without notice, tax for 2 terms	2	3.60
Venus Lodge No. 43, Jamestown— June report—3 suspended without notice, tax for 1 term	3	2.70
Hermion Lodge No. 44, Seymour— December report—3 members suspended owing less than 15 months, tax for 2 terms, $5.40	3	5.40
Lebanon Lodge No. 45, Lebanon— December report—5 suspended without notice, tax for 2 terms	5	9.00
Forrest Lodge No. 46, Warsaw— June report—16 suspended without notice, names dates, amounts not shown in report, tax for 1 term	16	14.40
Danville Lodge No. 48, Danville— December report—5 suspended without notice, tax 2 terms, $9.00	5	9.90
Plainfield Lodge No. 50, Plainfield— December report—3 suspended without notice, tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—5 suspended without notice, owing less than 15 months; 1 deceased member deducted whose death occurred after June 30, tax for 1 term, $5.40	9	10.80
LaFayette Lodge No. 51, LaFayette— June report—2 suspended without notice, tax 1 term	2	1.80
Mace Lodge No. 55, Mace— June report—17 suspended without notice, tax 1 term	17	15.30
Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis— June report—20 suspended without notice, tax 1 term	20	18.00

	Number of Members to be Restored	Per Capita Tax Due
Remington Lodge No. 58, Remington— December report—9 suspended without notice, tax 2 terms, $16.20; June report—28 suspended without notice, names and amounts not listed in report, tax 1 term, $25.20	37	41.40
Scott Lodge No. 59, Scottsburg— December report—13 suspended without notice, tax 2 terms	13	23.40
Accolade Lodge No. 63, Bloomfield— June report—1 suspended without notice, tax 1 term	1	.90
Kekionga Lodge No. 65, Decatur— December report—12 suspended without notice, tax 2 terms, $21.60; June report—4 suspended without notice, tax 1 term, $3.60	16	25.20
Silliman Lodge No. 66, Rockville— December report—4 suspended without notice, tax for 2 terms, $7.20; June report—4 suspended without notice, names dates and amounts not listed in report, tax 1 term, $3.60	8	10.80
Shield Lodge No. 71, Frankfort— June report—13 suspended without notice, tax 1 term	13	11.70
Damon Lodge No. 72, Kentland— December report—3 suspended without notice, tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—3 suspended without notice, tax 1 term, $2.70	6	8.10
Monticello Lodge No. 73, Monticello— December report—8 suspended without notice, one name not listed, tax for 2 terms, $14.40	8	14.40
Laurel Lodge No. 74, Laurel— December report—1 suspended without notice, tax 2 terms, $1.80	1	1.80
Elkhart Lodge No. 75, Elkhart— December report—17 suspended without notice, tax 2 terms, $30.60; June report—27 suspended without notice, tax 1 term, $24.30	44	54.90
Brookville Lodge No. 76, Brookville— December report—8 suspended without notice, tax 2 terms	8	14.40
Corydon Lodge No. 79, Corydon— June report—2 suspended without notice and owing less than 15 months, tax for 1 term	2	1.80
Delphi Lodge No. 80, Delphi— June report—21 suspended without notice, tax 1 term	21	18.90
Oriental Lodge No. 81, Terre Haute— December report—5 suspended without notice, tax 2 terms, $9.00; June report—10 suspended without notice, tax 1 term, $9.00	15	18.00
Rensselaer Lodge No. 82, Rensselaer— December report—4 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $7.20; June report—8 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $7.20	12	14.40
Jackson Lodge No. 83, Crothersville— December report—3 suspended without notice, one owing less than 15 months; tax for 2 terms, $5.40; June report—1 suspended without notice and owing less than 12 months; tax 1 term, $.90	4	6.30
Sullivan Lodge No. 85, Sullivan— December report—1 suspended without notice, 3 suspended without notice and owing less than 15 months, 6 suspended with 18 days notice, total 10 suspended;		

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tax for 2 terms, $18.00; June report—11 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $9.90	21	27.90
Red Cross Lodge No. 88, Portland— December report—10 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	10	18.00
Spartan Lodge No. 90, Petersburg— December report—7 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	7	12.60
Winchester Lodge No. 91, Winchester— December report—8 suspended without notice, 5 owing less than 15 months including 1 of three months, 1 of nine months; tax for 2 terms, $14.40; June report—2 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $1.80	10	16.20
Bluffton Lodge No. 92, Bluffton— December report—12 suspended without notice, 11 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $21.60; June report—19 suspended without notice, 13 owing less than 12 months dues; tax 1 term, $17.10	31	38.70
Huntington Lodge No. 93, Huntington— December report—10 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	10	18.00
Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City— June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	1	.90
Salem Lodge No. 96, Salem— December report—18 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	18	32.40
Capital City Lodge No. 97, Indianapolis— June report—6 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	6	5.40
Eden Lodge No. 99, Spencer— December report—8 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	8	14.40
Phoenix Lodge No. 101, Fort Wayne— December report—41 suspended without notice, 1 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $73.80; June report—15 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $13.50	56	87.30
Jonesboro Lodge No. 102, Jonesboro— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term. $.90	3	4.50
Crystal Lodge No. 105, Columbia City— June report—11 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	11	9.90
Rockport Lodge No. 107, Rockport— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	2	3.60
Byron Lodge No. 108, Hope— December report—4 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $7.20; June report—4 suspended without notice, 3 days after end of term; tax 1 term, $3.60	8	10.80
Vermillion Lodge No. 113, Perrysville— December report—4 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $7.20; June report—11 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $9.90	15	17.10
Liberty Lodge No. 114, Liberty— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms		54.03
Fort Wayne Lodge No. 116, Fort Wayne— December report—5 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $9.00; June report—3 suspended without notice, 1 less than 15 months; tax 1 term, $2.70	8	11.70

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Pythagorean Lodge No. 118, Washington— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	1	1.80
Lynn Lodge No. 119, Lynn— December report—11 suspended without notice, 3 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $19.80; June report—9 suspended without notice, 1 owing less than 15 months; tax 1 term, $8.10	20	27.90
Bernice Lodge No. 120, Noblesville— December report—15 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $27.00; June report—13 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $11.70	28	38.70
Thorntown Lodge No. 124, Thorntown— December report—9 without notice; tax 2 terms	9	16.20
Chillon Lodge No. 129, Shelbyville— June report, 14 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	14	12.60
Garrett City Lodge No. 130, Garrett— December report—12 suspended without notice; 2 terms tax, $21.60	12	21.60
Home Lodge No. 132, Rising Sun— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	1	1.80
Blooming Grove Lodge No. 134, Blooming Grove— June report—4 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	4	3.60
Morning Star Lodge No. 136, Wilkinson— June report—10 suspended without notice, all owing less than 15 months; tax 1 term, $9.00; December report—18 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $32.40	28	41.40
Cardonia Lodge No. 139, Cardonia— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report—8 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $7.20	10	10.80
Wabash Lodge No. 140, Wabash— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $1.80; June report—31 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $27.90	32	29.70
Lima Lodge No. 142, Howe— December report—5 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	5	9.00
LaGrange Lodge No. 144, LaGrange— December report—10 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	10	18.00
Carbon Lodge No. 145, Carbon— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $2.70	6	8.10
Olympian Lodge No. 147, North Manchester— December report—17 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $30.60; June report—13 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $11.70	30	42.30
Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay— June report—6 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	6	5.40
Tipton Lodge No. 151, Tipton— December report—5 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $9.00; June report—3 suspended without notice, 2 owing less than 15 months, 1 suspended both terms; tax 1 term, $2.70	8	11.70
Brooklyn Lodge No. 152, Milan— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report— 1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $.90	3	4.50

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Russiaville Lodge No. 156, Russiaville— June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term..	3	2.70
Navarre Lodge No. 157, Morristown— December report—4 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $7.20; June report—13 suspended without notice, 7 charged with nine months dues; tax 1 term, $11.70...	17	18.90
Butler Lodge No. 158, Butler— December report—14 suspended without notice; tax 2 term, $25.20; June report—8 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $7.20.....	22	32.40
Darlington Lodge No. 159, Darlington— December report—13 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $23.40; June report—10 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $9.00.....	23	32.40
Huntingburg Lodge No. 161, Huntingburg— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax for 2 terms, $5.40; June report—2 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $1.80.....	5	7.20
Spiceland Lodge No. 163, Spiceland— December report—11 suspended without notice, all owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $19.80.....	11	19.80
Elwood Lodge No. 166, Elwood— December report—21 suspended without notice, 2 charged with less than 15 months; tax for 2 terms.....	21	37.80
Campbellsburg Lodge No. 167, Campbellsburg— December report—6 suspended without notice; tax for 2 terms, $10.80; June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $2.70.....	9	13.50
Tunnelton Lodge No. 168, Tunnelton— December report—9 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $16.20; June report—8 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $7.20.....	17	23.40
Beacon Lodge No. 170, Poseyville— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms.....	2	3.60
Charity Lodge No. 171, Riley— June report—9 suspended without notice; tax 1 term..	9	8.10
Robert Owen Lodge No. 172, New Harmony— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $1.80; June report—1 suspended without notice owing less than 15 months; tax 1 term, $.90.....	2	2.70
Fountaintown Lodge No. 173, Fountaintown— December report—16 suspended without notice, 10 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $28.80; June report—19 suspended without notice, 18 owing less than 15 months; tax 1 term, $17.10.....	35	45.90
Fontanet Lodge No. 174, Fontanet— December report—3 suspended without notice, and owing less than 15 months; tax for 2 terms.....	3	5.40
Goodwill Lodge No. 175, Cicero— December report—4 suspended without notice, 1 owing less than 15 months; tax for 2 terms, $7.20; June report—2 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $1.80.....	6	9.00
Burlington Lodge No. 179, Burlington— June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term...	1	.90
Lake Mill Lodge No. 181, Rockport— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms.....	3	5.40
Hoosier Lodge No. 185, Forest— December report—6 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms.....	6	10.80

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Montpelier Lodge No. 188, Montpelier— December report—10 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $18.00; June report—18 suspended without notice; tax for 1 term, $16.20	28	34.20
Mooresville Lodge No. 189, Mooresville— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	1	1.80
Auburn Lodge No. 191, Auburn— December report—19 suspended without notice; tax for 2 terms	19	34.20
St. Leon Lodge No. 192, Leesburg— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	2	3.60
Metropolitan Lodge No. 193, Linton— December report—9 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $16.20, June report—7 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $6.30	16	22.50
Dauntless Lodge No. 194, Commiskey— December report—9 suspended without notice, all owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	9	16.20
Monon Lodge No. 196, Monon— December report—4 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	4	7.20
Hagerstown Lodge No. 198, Hagerstown— June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	1	.90
Achilles Lodge No. 200, Pine Village— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report—2 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $1.80	4	5.40
Leonidas Lodge No. 205, Waterloo— December report—9 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $16.20; June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $2.70	12	18.90
Kenton Lodge No. 207, Flat Rock— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—5 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $4.50	8	9.90
Center Point Lodge No. 209, Center Point— December report—6 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	6	10.80
Hammond Lodge No. 210, Hammond— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $1.80; June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $.90	2	2.70
LaFontaine Lodge No. 211, LaFontaine— December report—6 suspended without notice, 1 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $10.80; June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $.90	7	11.70
Warren Lodge No. 214, West Lebanon— June report—8 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	8	7.20
Center Lodge No. 216, Indianapolis— December report—6 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	6	10.80
Hazel Lodge No. 217, Clinton— June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	3	2.70
Orange Lodge No. 218, Orleans— December report—10 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	10	18.00
Paragon Lodge No. 219, Fairmount— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	3	5.40

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Saline City Lodge No. 220, Saline City— June report—1 suspended without notice, name not listed in report; tax 1 term	1	.90
Shoals Lodge No. 221, Shoals— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax for 2 terms, $5.40; June report—6 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $5.40	9	10.80
Albion Lodge No. 223, Albion— December report—10 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	10	18.00
Rosedale Lodge No. 224, Rosedale— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report— 8 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $7.20	10	10.80
Hamilton Lodge No. 228, Hamilton— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax for 2 terms, $3.60; June report—7 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $6.30	9	9.90
Kosciusko Lodge No. 230, Syracuse— December report—7 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	7	12.60
Marmont Lodge No. 231, Culver— December report—2 suspended without notice, 27 days after close of term; tax for 2 terms, $3.60	2	3.60
Rathbone Lodge No. 232, Waveland— June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	3	2.70
Sicilian Lodge No. 234, Pendleton— December report—5 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $9.00; June report—18 suspended without notice, names of 4 not listed in report, 1 suspended both terms; tax 1 term, $16.20	23	25.20
Greenwood Lodge No. 238, Greenwood— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	2	3.60
Medora Lodge No. 239, Medora— December report—4 suspended without notice, names not listed in report; tax for 2 terms	4	7.20
Mt. Etna Lodge No. 243, Brooklyn— June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	1	.90
Spring Hill Lodge No. 246, Veedersburg— December report—23 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	23	41.40
Dana Lodge No. 247, Dana— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—2 suspended without notice, 1 less than 15 months; tax 1 term, $1.80	5	7.20
Corunna Lodge No. 248, Corunna— December report—10 suspended without notice, names not listed in report; tax for 2 terms	10	18.00
Marengo Lodge No. 249, Marengo— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report—2 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $1.80	4	5.40
Zionsville Lodge No. 251, Zionsville— December report—8 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $14.40; June report—7 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $6.30	15	20.70
Worthington Lodge No. 253, Worthington— December report—50 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	50	90.00

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Arion Lodge No. 254, Indianapolis— December report—18 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	18	32.40
Winslow Lodge No. 258, Winslow— December report—6 suspended without notice, 1 less than 15 months; tax for 2 terms	6	10.80
Cortland Lodge No. 260, Cortland— December report—6 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	6	10.80
Fremont Lodge No. 261, Fremont— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $1.80; June report—1 suspended without notice, owing less than 15 months dues; tax 1 term, $.90	2	2.70
Oak Leaf Lodge No. 265, Richland— December report—2 suspended without notice, owing less than 15 months; tax for 2 terms, $3.60; June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $.90	3	4.50
New Market Lodge No. 266, New Market— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $.90	4	6.30
Odon Lodge No. 272, Odon— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	2	3.60
Tippecanoe Lodge No. 273, Battle Ground— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $1.80; June report—5 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $4.50	6	6.30
Rossville Lodge No. 278, Rossville— December report—11 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	11	19.80
Shannondale Lodge No. 279, Shannondale— December report—2 suspended December 31, notices sent January 22nd; tax 2 terms, $3.60	2	3.60
Fountain City Lodge No. 280, Flora— December report—18 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $32.40; June report—4 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $3.60	22	36.00
Reddington Lodge No. 281, Reddington— December report—1 suspended without notice less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $1.80	1	1.80
Triangle Lodge No. 283, Boswell— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	3	5.40
Cooper Lodge No. 285, Georgetown— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	1	1.80
Cedric Lodge No. 286, Chrisney— December report—14 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	14	25.20
Nappanee Lodge No. 287, Nappanee— December report—13 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $23.40; June report—14 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $12.60	27	36.00
Henry Clay Lodge No. 288, New Richmond— June report—4 suspended, 3 with 4 days notice, 1 with no notice; tax 1 term	4	3.60
Sandborn Lodge No. 302, Sandborn— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	1	1.80

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Milltown Lodge No. 304, Milltown— December report—3 suspended without notice, names not listed in report; tax 2 terms	3	5.40
Starlight Lodge No. 306, Wingate— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—5 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $4.50	8	9.90
Westville Lodge No. 309, Westville— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	3	5.40
Russellville Lodge No. 310, Russellville— June report—9 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	9	8.10
Marco Lodge No. 312, Marco— December report—3 suspended without notice, 1 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	3	5.40
Waynetown Lodge No. 316, Waynetown— December report—10 suspended without notice, names not listed in report; tax 2 terms	10	18.00
Arbor Vitae Lodge No. 318, Indianapolis— June report—47 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	47	42.30
Redstone Lodge No. 319, Hillsboro— December report—1 suspended without notice, another owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	2	3.60
Atwood Lodge No. 326, Atwood— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	1	1.80
Millersburg Lodge No. 328, Millersburg— December report—9 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	9	16.20
Cordelia Lodge No. 329, Akron— June report—2 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $1.80; December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $1.80	3	3.60
Straughn Lodge No. 331, Straughn— December report—4 suspended without notice, owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	4	7.20
Alexandria Lodge No. 335, Alexandria— December report—6 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	6	10.80
Stinesville Lodge No. 337, Stinesville— December report—2 suspended without notice, owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report—4 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $3.60	6	7.20
Custer Lodge No. 339, Converse— December report—5 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $9.00; June report—2 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $1.80	7	10.80
Rubicon Lodge No. 340, Michigantown— December report—4 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $7.20; June report—4 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $3.60	8	10.80
Lizton Lodge No. 342, Lizton— December report—4 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $7.20; June report—4 suspended without notice, 2 owing less than 15 months; tax 1 term, $3.60	8	10.80
Ossian Lodge No. 343, Ossian— December report—10 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	10	18.00

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Nineveh Lodge No. 344, Nineveh— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $1.80; June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $.90	2	2.70
Helmet Lodge No. 346, Young America— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $2.70	5	6.30
Whiting Lodge No. 348, Whiting— June report—20 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	20	18.00
Diamond Lodge No. 349, Cloverdale— December report—6 suspended without notice, all owing less than 15 months dues; tax 2 terms	6	10.80
Summit Lodge No. 350, Stockwell— December report—4 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	4	7.20
Wheatfield Lodge No. 353, Wheatfield— December report—8 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	8	14.40
Carmel Lodge No. 355, Carmel— June report—14 suspended without notice, 1 owing less than 15 months; tax 1 term	14	12.60
Graham Valley Lodge No. 356, San Jacinto— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report—2 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $1.80	4	5.40
Letts Lodge No. 357, Letts— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $.90	3	4.50
Summitville Lodge No. 361, Summitville— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	2	3.60
Scipio Lodge No. 363, Scipio— June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	1	.90
Poland Lodge No. 364, Poland— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	1	1.80
Purity Lodge No. 366, Patriot— December report—8 suspended without notice, names and amounts not listed in report; tax 2 terms, $14.40; June report—1 suspended without notice, name and amount not listed; tax 1 term, $.90	9	15.30
St. Paul Lodge No. 368, St. Paul— June report—9 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	9	8.10
Bristol Lodge No. 369, Bristol— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	3	5.40
Plainville Lodge No. 371, Plainville— December report—3 suspended without notice, 1 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—6 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	9	10.80
Paul Revere Lodge No. 374, Terre Haute— December report—21 suspended without notice, 4 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	21	37.80
Adelphia Lodge No. 375, Churubusco— June report—5 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	5	4.50
Brownsburg Lodge No. 377, Brownsburg— December report—13 suspended without notice, 1 owing less than 15 months; tax for 2 terms, $23.40; June report—12 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $10.80	25	34.20

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Evergreen Lodge No. 381, Newberry— December report—15 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	15	27.00
Redkey Lodge No. 383, Redkey— June report—17 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	17	15.30
Acton Lodge No. 385, Acton— December report—3 suspended without notice, 1 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	3	5.40
Lapel Lodge No. 386, Lapel— December report—4 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	4	7.20
Medaryville Lodge No. 392, Medaryville— June report—7 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	7	6.30
Francesville Lodge No. 396, Francesville— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	1	1.80
Philemon Lodge No. 399, Tangier— December report—4 suspended without notice, names not listed in report; tax 2 terms	4	7.20
St. Joe Lodge No. 400, St. Joe— December report—1 suspended without notice owing less than 15 months; tax for 2 terms	1	1.80
Fortville Lodge No. 404, Fortville— December report—2 suspended without notice, owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	2	3.60
Cromwell Lodge No. 408, Cromwell— June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	1	.90
Wolcott Lodge No. 409, Wolcott— December report—7 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $12.60; June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $2.70	10	15.30
Banner Lodge No. 416, Anderson— December report—13 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $23.40; June report—19 suspended without notice, 8 owing less than 12 months; tax 1 term, $17.10	32	40.50
Sellersburg Lodge No. 417, Sellersburg— December report—8 suspended without notice, 3 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $14.40	8	14.40
White River Lodge No. 420, Otwell— December report—8 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	8	14.40
Brandywine Lodge No. 425, Fairland— December report—16 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	16	28.80
Star City Lodge No. 427, Star City— December report—9 suspended without notice, 3 less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	9	16.20
Mt. Summit Lodge No. 429, Mt. Summit— December report—20 suspended without notice, names and amounts not listed in reports; tax 2 terms	20	36.00
Wawaka Lodge No. 432, Wawaka— December report—8 suspended without notice, 6 less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	8	14.40
Otterville Lodge No. 436, North Terre Haute— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $2.70	6	8.10
Johnson Lodge No. 437, Trafalgar— June report—7 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	7	6.30

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Chesterton Lodge No. 442, Chesterton— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	2	3.60
Needham Lodge No. 450, Needham— June report—18 suspended without notice, 7 less than 15 months; tax 1 term	18	16.20
Daleville Lodge No. 452, Daleville— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report—6 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $5.40	8	9.00
Mishawaka Lodge No. 453, Mishawaka— December report—2 suspended without notice, 1 less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	2	3.60
Reynolds Lodge No. 454, Reynolds— June report—2 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	2	1.80
Alquina Lodge No. 456, Alquina— December report—7 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	7	12.60
Rome City Lodge No. 460, Rome City— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	3	5.40
Cleo Lodge No. 461, Brooksburg— June report—4 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	4	3.60
Elite Lodge No. 462, Royal Center— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	1	1.80
Stones Crossing Lodge No. 464, Stones Crossing— June report—5 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	5	4.50
Tocsin Lodge No. 468, Tocsin— December report—7 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	7	12.60
Bellmore Lodge No. 469, Bellmore— December report—1 suspended without notice, suspended 16 days after end of term; tax 2 terms, $1.80; June report—1 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $.90	2	2.70
19th Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis— December report—53 suspended without notice, 17 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $95.40; June report—44 suspended without notice, 7 owing less than 15 months; tax 1 term, $39.60	97	135.00
Orestes Lodge No. 471, Orestes— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	3	5.40
Mayflower Lodge No. 472, West Middleton— June report—8 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	8	7.20
Alfordsville Lodge No. 475, Alfordsville— June report—2 suspended without notice; tax 1 term	2	1.80
East Chicago Lodge No. 477, East Chicago— December report—3 suspended without notice, 2 owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms	3	5.40
Markleville Lodge No. 479, Markleville— June report—3 suspended without notice, names and amounts not listed in report; tax 1 term	3	2.70
Raymond Lodge No. 481, Hymera— December report—9 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	9	16.20
Mecca Lodge No. 488, Mecca— June report—7 suspended without notice, owing less than 15 months; tax 1 term	7	6.30

	Number of Members to be Restored	Per Capita Tax Due
Morocco Lodge No. 492, Morocco— June report—7 suspended without notice; tax 1 term..	7	6.30
Van Buren Lodge No. 396, Van Buren— December report—2 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $3.60; June report—2 suspended without notice, 1 owing less than 15 months; tax 1 term, $1.80.....	4	5.40
Bethlehem Lodge No. 498, Bethlehem— December report—2 suspended without notice, names and amounts not listed in report; tax 2 terms.....	2	3.60
Jasonville Lodge No. 501, Jasonville— December report—7 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms.....	7	12.60
Monrovia Lodge No. 502, Monrovia— December report—7 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms.....	7	12.60
Pluto Lodge No. 509, French Lick— December report—8 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms.....	8	14.40
Lewis Lodge No. 511, Lewis— December report—7 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms.....	7	12.60
Geneva Lodge No. 514, Geneva— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $1.80; June report—1 suspended without notice, less than 15 months; tax 1 term, $.90.....	2	2.70
Bruceville Lodge No. 517, Bruceville— June report—6 suspended without notice; tax 1 term..	6	5.40
West Terre Haute Lodge No. 521, West Terre Haute— December report—3 suspended without notice, names and amounts not listed in report; tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—2 suspended without notice, names and amounts not listed; tax 1 term, $1.80.....	5	7.20
Aitken Lodge No. 522, Fulton— June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term..	3	2.70
Oolitic Lodge No. 523, Oolitic— December report—7 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $12.60; June report—7 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $6.30.....	14	18.90
Stanford Lodge No. 525, Stanford— December report—22 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms.....	22	39.60
Athenian Lodge No. 527, Velpen— June report—3 suspended without notice; tax 1 term..	3	2.70
Oak Hill Lodge No. 529, Bicknell— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms.....	3	5.40
Smithville Lodge No. 530, Smithville— December report—6 suspended without notice, all owing less than 15 months dues; tax 2 terms.....	6	10.80
St. Bernice Lodge No. 533, St. Bernice— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $5.40; June report—5 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $4.50.....	8	9.90
Shelby Lodge No. 534, Montmorenci— December report—3 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms.....	3	5.40
Cantaloupe Lodge No. 537, Decker— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $1.80; June report—10 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $9.00.....	11	10.80

	Number of Members to be Restored	Per Capita Tax Due
Gary Lodge No. 541, Gary— December report—12 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $21.60; June report—5 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $4.50	17	26.10
Greensfork Lodge No. 543, Greensfork— December report—5 suspended without notice, all owing less than 15 months; tax 2 terms, $9.00; June report—3 suspended without notice, 2 owing less than 15 months, 1 name and amount not listed; tax 1 term, $2.70	8	11.70
LaCrosse Lodge No. 551, LaCrosse— December report—14 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	14	25.20
Spartanburg Lodge No. 552, Spartanburg— December report—15 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms	15	27.00
Victor Lodge No. 553, Clinton— December report—1 suspended without notice; tax 2 terms, $1.80; June report—5 suspended without notice; tax 1 term, $4.50	6	6.30

We have set out in the foregoing report, the amount of per capita tax due from the several subordinate lodges because of deductions erroneously made. Therefore, in consideration of all the facts, it is the finding of the Committee on Finance, that the deductions listed above having been erroneously made, all such deductions be corrected upon the records of the several lodges and upon the records of the Grand Lodge, that the per capita tax due as shown by the foregoing list be charged against the several lodges on the books of the Grand Lodge and that due notice be furnished the subordinate lodges in the premises.

Decreed and entered this 30th day of August, 1930.

FRED J. RHORER,
ALLEN MOORE,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
Committee on Finance.

The following resolution on distribution of reports was introduced:

Document No. 10.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Be it resolved by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That the printed reports of the Grand Chancellor, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, Grand Master of Exchequer, Grand Lodge Trustees, and Indiana Pythian Home Board be distributed by subjects for consideration and report thereon at this session of the Grand Lodge, to the following named committees:

1. To the Committee on Finance, the entire reports of the Grand Master of Exchequer, Grand Lodge Trustees, and all those parts of the reports of the Grand Chancellor, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal and Pythian Home Board relating to Grand Lodge finance.

2. To the Committee on Judiciary, all those parts of the reports of the Grand Chancellor and Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, relating to recommendations for changes in the statutes, and new legislation.

3. To the Committee on State of the Order, all those parts not specifically referred otherwise.

4. Be it further resolved, that all propositions offered upon the floor of this Grand Lodge shall be typewritten or plainly written in long hand and presented in triplicate.

5. That all propositions and resolutions, after reading by title, shall be referred by the Grand Chancellor to the proper committees, without debate, for subsequent report. That all propositions for the amendment of the Grand Lodge Statutes shall be printed in accordance with law and put into the hands of the members of the Grand Lodge at the earliest possible hour on the morning of the second day of the convention.

6. That Roberts' Rules of Order shall be the authority on all questions of parliamentary law and procedure.

Fraternally submitted,

FRED E. SWAIM, P. C. No. 93.

On motion, duly seconded, the resolution was adopted.

Document No. 11.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Be it resolved by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That the following appointments made by Grand Chancellor Charles S. Loy since adjournment of last convention be approved:

Walter V. McCullough, Pythagorean Lodge No. 118, Washington, to be Deputy Grand Chancellor for the 21st District, succeeding James Brown, Dugger, deceased.

Harry K. Stroud, Orange Lodge No. 218, Orleans, to be Deputy Grand Chancellor for the 22nd District, succeeding Noble Malott, Tunnelton, resigned.

H. C. Constable, Goodland Lodge No. 141, Goodland, to be Deputy Grand Chancellor of the 5th District, succeeding Omer Cottrell of Brookston, resigned.

Chester Y. Kelly, Paul Revere Lodge No. 374, Terre Haute, to be Deputy Grand Chancellor for the newly created 27th District.

Clarence Spurgeon, Brownstown Lodge No. 60, Brownstown, to be Deputy Grand Chancellor for the 19th District, succeeding Cash Kern, Brownstown, deceased.

Willard B. Gemmill, Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion, to be Grand Tribune, succeeding Robert W. Harrison of Shelbyville, resigned.

O. J. Butler, Greensburg Lodge No. 148, Greensburg, to be a member of the Committee on Mileage and Per Diem, succeeding Walter V. McCullough of Washington, commissioned Deputy Grand Chancellor.

Schuyler C. Dwyer, Whiting Lodge No. 348, Whiting, to be a member of the Committee on State of the Order, succeeding George E. Sale.

Harry H. Hamilton, Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion, to be a member of the Committee on Princes of Syracuse, succeeding Wm. E. Davis.

All Special Deputy Grand Chancellors as shown in the printed report of the Grand Chancellor.

Respectfully submitted,

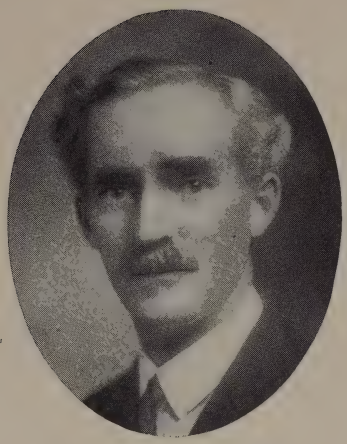
CARL R. MITCHELL, G. K. R. S.

On motion duly seconded, the resolution was adopted.

Document No. 12.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Be it resolved by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That the appointment of the following named assistants be confirmed and said assistants be allowed the regular mileage and per diem for their attendance and services at this Convention.



FRANK E. HUTCHINSON
1931
CHIEF TRIBUNE

GEORGE A. WILLIAMS
1932

J. BURDETTE LITTLE
1933
RECORDER

WILLARD J. GEMMILL
1934

WILLIAM P. ENDICOTT
1935

GRAND TRIBUNAL

As Assistants to the Grand Outer Guard:
Fred Rumple, Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington.
Harvey Condra, Pluto Lodge No. 509, French Lick.
Peter A. Hatfield, Star City Lodge No. 427, Star City.
Howard Coates, Swayzee Lodge No. 451, Swayzee.
S. Grant Johnson, Dale Lodge No. 284, Dale.
Max Rutenberg, 19th Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis.
Roy Gilbert, Straughn Lodge No. 331, Straughn.
Chas. Thompson, Fort Wayne Lodge No. 116, Fort Wayne.

As Assistants to the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal:
B. W. Tilford, Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville.
Herbert E. Stocks, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.
J. H. Gent, Gas City Lodge No. 428, Gas City.

As Assistants to the Grand Master of Exchequer:
Wm. G. Huckleberry, Apollo Lodge No. 62, Logansport.
Ralph K. Sines, Apollo Lodge No. 62, Logansport.

FRED E. SWAIM, P. C., No. 93.

On motion, duly seconded, the resolution was adopted.

The Grand Keeper of Records and Seal officially introduced twelve propositions which had been printed and distributed to the lodges in the booklet of advance reports:

Document No. 13.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A resolution to invite the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters, Grand Domain of Indiana, to arrange to hold their annual conventions on the same days as the annual conventions of this Grand Lodge.

Whereas, It has been the procedure and practice of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Indiana, to hold its annual convention on the first Tuesday and Wednesday of October, and of the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters of Indiana, to hold its convention on the succeeding Thursday and Friday; and,

Whereas, It is the belief and judgment of this Grand Lodge that if both of said conventions should be held on the first Tuesday and Wednesday of October, much mutual advantage would result, to wit: all representatives to both conventions could visit the Indiana Pythian Home at Lafayette in a joint excursion on Tuesday afternoon; joint memorial services and other open ceremonies might be held; greater opportunity for enactment of mutually beneficial legislation would be accorded; closer co-operation between the two organizations would be possible; such contemporaneous meetings would increase interest and attendance at both conventions; and would result in the saving of money and time of Pythian households; therefore,

Be it Resolved, By the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That the Grand Temple of Pythian Sisters of Indiana be invited to meet contemporaneously with the Grand Lodge on the first Tuesday and Wednesday in October and join in such joint activities as may from time to time be arranged; and,

Be it further Resolved, That upon enactment by the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters of the necessary legislation to provide for such meetings, the Executive Committee of this Grand Lodge be, and it is hereby authorized and instructed to provide a suitable convention hall for the use of such Grand Temple.

CHAS. S. LOY, G. C.
CARL R. MITCHELL, G. K. R. S.

Referred to Committee on State of the Order.

For the action of the Grand Lodge passing the resolution see Document No. 40.

Document No. 14.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A proposition to amend Section 33 of the Grand Lodge Statutes by striking out in lines 20 and 21 thereof, the words "a Committee on Insurance Department consisting of three members", and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That Section 33 of the Grand Lodge Statutes be amended by striking out in lines 20 and 21 thereof, the words "A Committee on Insurance Department, consisting of three members", so that when said section is amended, it shall read as follows:

Section 33. As soon as practicable after his installation, the Grand Chancellor shall make the following appointments from the membership of the Grand Lodge, such appointees to serve until the close of the next succeeding Grand Lodge Convention: Provided, That no officer of the Grand Lodge shall be appointed on any standing committee, nor shall any member of the Grand Lodge be appointed on more than one standing committee at the same Grand Convention.

A Deputy Grand Chancellor for each Pythian District.

A Special Deputy Grand Chancellor.

A State Deputy Grand Chancellor, who shall be the special field worker employed by the Committee on Pythian Extension.

A Committee on Finance, consisting of three members.

A Committee on Judiciary, consisting of three members.

A Committee on the State of the Order, consisting of three members.

A Committee on Credentials, consisting of three members.

A Committee on Mileage and Per Diem, consisting of four members.

A Committee on Subordinate Lodge Constitution and By-Laws, consisting of one member.

A Committee on Uniform Rank, consisting of three of its members.

A Committee on Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, of three of its members.

A Committee on Junior Order Princes of Syracuse, consisting of three members.

Whereas, An emergency exists, this statute shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

CHAS. S. LOY, G. C.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

For the action of the Grand Lodge passing the amendment see Document No. 42.

Document No. 15.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A proposition to amend Section 166 of the Grand Lodge Statutes by striking out the words "Lodge Deputy" in line nine thereof, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That Section 166 of the Grand Lodge Statutes be amended by striking out the words "Lodge Deputy" in line nine thereof, so that when amended said Section 166 shall read as follows:

Section 166. District Meetings shall be held under the direction of the Grand Chancellor at such times and places as he may direct. Such meetings shall be under the detailed supervision of the Deputy

Grand Chancellor. All members of subordinate lodges in said District are expected to attend at least one District Meeting each year.

Each subordinate lodge in said District shall be represented in said meetings and it shall be the duty of each lodge to select such representatives as they may see fit: Provided, however, That it shall be understood that the Chancellor Commander and Vice Chancellor shall be ex-officio members of said representation.

The order of business and program for such meetings shall be prepared by the Deputy Grand Chancellor and submitted to the Grand Chancellor for approval prior to publication.

Whereas, An emergency exists, this statute shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

COLIN V. DUNBAR, G. V. C.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

For the action of the Grand Lodge passing the amendment see Document No. 43.

Document No. 16.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A proposition to amend Section 172 of the Grand Lodge Statutes by striking out the words "the Lodge Deputies" in lines 1 and 2 thereof, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That Section 172 of the Grand Lodge Statutes be amended by striking out the words "the Lodge Deputies" in lines 1 and 2 thereof, so that when so amended, said Section 172 shall read as follows:

Section 172: The Regional Deputy Grand Chancellor and the Chancellor Commanders in each Region shall constitute an Executive Committee, which shall arrange for the time and place of all meetings and programs thereof.

Whereas, an emergency exists, this statute shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

COLIN V. DUNBAR, G. V. C.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

For the action of the Grand Lodge passing the amendment see Document No. 44.

Document No. 17.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A proposition to amend Section 174 of the Grand Lodge Statutes by repealing said section and substituting therefor, a new section, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That Section 174 of the Grand Lodge Statutes be amended by striking out said section in its entirety and substituting therefor a new section to read as follows:

Section 174: The Grand Chancellor shall appoint an installing officer for each subordinate lodge within the Domain. Each subordinate lodge shall at the first regular meeting in July, select a Past Chancellor to be appointed by the Grand Chancellor as its installing officer and promptly report his name for such appointment to the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal.

Whereas an emergency exists, this statute shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

COLIN V. DUNBAR, G. V. C.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

For the action of the Grand Lodge passing the amendment see Document No. 45.

Document No. 18.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A proposition to amend Section 230 of the Grand Lodge Statutes by adding thereto a new paragraph "c" to read as follows:

c. If he is not in arrears for dues, fines and assessments legally charged against him.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That Section 230 of the Grand Lodge Statutes be amended by adding thereto, a new paragraph "c" to read "If he is not in arrears for dues, fines and assessments legally charged against him", so that when so amended, said Section 230 shall read as follows:

Section 230: A Page, Esquire, or Knight shall be considered to be in good standing in the Subordinate Lodge of which he is a member:

a. If he is not under suspension from membership.

b. If he has not renounced the Order.

c. If he is not in arrears for dues, fines and assessments legally charged against him.

CARL R. MITCHELL, G. K. R. S.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

For the action of the Grand Lodge passing the amendment see Document No. 46.

Document No. 19.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A proposition to amend Section 253 of the Grand Lodge Statutes relative to balloting on applications for reinstatement.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That Section 253 of the Grand Lodge Statutes be amended by striking out said section and substituting therefor a new section to read as follows:

Section 253: Upon the report of the investigating committee and subject to the provisions of the Supreme and Grand Statutes, a ballot shall be taken on an application for reinstatement of a member suspended for non-payment of arrearages. If the applicant is applying for reinstatement in the same lodge by which he was suspended for non-payment of arrearages, a two-thirds vote shall be required for his reinstatement. If the applicant is applying for reinstatement in a lodge other than that by which he was so suspended, the vote shall be the same as on an applicant for membership by initiation.

CARL R. MITCHELL, G. K. R. S.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

For the action of the Grand Lodge passing the amendment see Document No. 47.

Document No. 20.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A proposition to amend Section 26 of Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes by adding thereto a new paragraph relative to appropriations for orphans' maintenance.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That Section 26 of Chapter A of the Grand Lodge

Statutes be amended by adding thereto a new paragraph to be designated "f," to read as follows:

"f"—In the event the Grand Temple of Pythian Sisters of the Grand Domain of Indiana shall levy, collect and pay a Pythian Home per capita tax as herein provided, the Board of Directors is hereby authorized and empowered to appropriate and pay to the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters of the Grand Domain of Indiana, such sum as they may deem proper, not exceeding one-fourth of the amount of per capita tax as herein provided. Any amount appropriated hereunder shall be paid out of any available funds under the control of such Board and shall be paid to the Grand Temple for the sole purpose of assisting in maintaining orphans through the Orphans' Maintenance Fund of the said Grand Temple Pythian Sisters, and shall be administered and used by the Orphans' Board of the Grand Temple as other funds belonging to said Orphans' Maintenance Fund are used, and not otherwise.

CHAS. S. LOY, G. C.
CARL R. MITCHELL, G. K. R. S.
SAMUEL L. TRABUE, P. G. C.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and Finance.

For the action of the Grand Lodge passing the amendment see Documents Nos. 50 and 51.

Document No. 21.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A proposition to amend Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes by adding a new section to provide for the payment by subordinate lodges of certain expenses in connection with investigation of Pythian Home applications, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 27 A to read as follows:

Section 27A: Whenever a subordinate lodge shall file an application for admission to the Pythian Home of a member, a widow, a wife, or a child, whose place of residence is outside the State of Indiana, said lodge shall pay all necessary and reasonable expenses incurred by a member of the Board of Directors in making the investigation required by statute, from the Indiana state line to the residence of the applicant and return to said state line.

Indiana Pythian Home Board of Directors.
CHARLES S. LOY, Chairman.
COLIN V. DUNBAR, Vice Chairman.
CARL R. MITCHELL, Secretary.
W. W. CROOKER, G. L. T.
CHARLES A. PHELPS, G. L. T.
FRED E. SWAIM, G. L. T.
SAMUEL L. TRABUE, P. G. C.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

For the action of the Grand Lodge passing the amendment see Document No. 52.

Document No. 22.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A proposition to amend Section 40 of Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes relative to the payment of funeral benefits to the Pythian Home.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That Section 40 of Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes be amended by striking out all that follows the period after the word "interment" in line 8 thereof and substituting new paragraphs so that when so amended, Section 40 shall read as follows:

Section 40: Upon the death of any resident of the Home, the superintendent shall immediately arrange for the embalming of the body and wire an officer of the lodge which made application for the admission of the deceased. If the Lodge shall so request within twenty-four hours, the body shall be sent to the lodge or to any person designated by the Lodge at the expense of the Lodge. If no request is made, the deceased shall be buried at LaFayette and the Superintendent shall arrange for the funeral and interment.

All subordinate lodges having members resident in the Indiana Pythian Home shall on or before the first day of February, 1931, pay to the Secretary of the Indiana Pythian Home Board of Directors, the sum of $75.00 for each member of said lodge who is then a resident of the Indiana Pythian Home, as and for a funeral benefit fund.

After February 1, 1931, no accepted member of a subordinate lodge shall be admitted to the Pythian Home until the subordinate lodge of which he is a member, has paid to the Secretary of the Indiana Pythian Home Board of Directors, the sum of $75.00 for the funeral benefit fund.

The said Board of Directors shall hold, retain and invest such sums in safe interest bearing securities as a funeral benefit fund, and upon the death of such resident, shall withdraw the sum of $75.00 from the funeral benefit fund to be expended in the funeral expenses of said resident.

Upon the withdrawal or dismissal of a subordinate lodge member residing in the said Indiana Pythian Home, said $75.00 shall be returned to the lodge by which it was paid.

All interest and income accruing from said funeral benefit fund shall become the property of the Indiana Pythian Home and shall be expended under direction of the Board of Directors as a flower fund upon the death of residents of the Indiana Pythian Home.

Indiana Pythian Home Board of Directors.
CHARLES S. LOY, Chairman.
COLIN V. DUNBAR, Vice-Chairman.
CARL R. MITCHELL, Secretary.
W. W. CROOKER, G. L. T.
CHARLES A. PHELPS, G. L. T.
FRED E. SWAIM, G. L. T.
SAMUEL L. TRABUE, P. G. C.

Referred to committee on Judiciary and Finance.

For the action of the Grand Lodge rejecting the amendment see Documents Nos. 53 and 54.

Document No. 23.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A proposition to amend Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes to provide for the payment by subordinate lodges having members residing in the Indiana Pythian Home, of the sum of $2.00 per month for each of said members, and providing for refusal or neglect to make such payment, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, That Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes be amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

Section —. Effective November 1, 1930, all subordinate lodges shall pay into the general fund of the Indiana Pythian Home, through

the office of the Secretary of the Indiana Pythian Home Board of Directors, the sum of $2.00 per month for each member of said subordinate lodge residing in the Home. Said payments shall be due quarterly and shall be paid upon bills rendered by the said Board of Directors.

In the event of the failure, neglect or refusal of any subordinate lodge to pay the said maintenance charge provided herein, the amount shall be certified to the Committee on Finance of the Grand Lodge who shall order the same entered against the said subordinate lodge on the books of the Grand Lodge where it will operate against said lodge in the same manner as the non-payment of per capita tax and any resident for whom payment is not made, may be expelled from said Home.

Whereas an emergency exists, this statute shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Indiana Pythian Home Board of Directors.
CHARLES S. LOY, Chairman.
COLIN V. DUNBAR, Vice-Chairman.
CARL R. MITCHELL, Secretary.
W. W. CROOKER, G. L. T.
CHARLES A. PHELPS, G. L. T.
FRED E. SWAIM, G. L. T.
SAMUEL L. TRABUE, P. G. C.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and Finance.

For the action of the Grand Lodge rejecting the amendment see Documents Nos. 55 and 56.

Document No. 24.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

PYTHIAN FOUNDATION, PERMANENT TRUST FUND AND SPECIAL LODGES

A proposition to create and maintain a special fund to be known as the Permanent Trust Fund, to establish and operate a Special Lodge therefor, by and through a Pythian Foundation, herein established.

Be it enacted by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of the Grand Domain of Indiana, That the Grand Statutes be and the same are hereby amended by adding thereto a new chapter to be known as Chapter C.

Chapter C

ARTICLE I.

Creation and Purposes

Sec. 1. There is hereby organized and established a Pythian Foundation for the purpose of creating a Permanent Trust Fund for the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Indiana by interesting and encouraging members and lodges of said Order, its auxiliaries and friends, by gifts, bequests, transfers and conveyances of moneys, property and other things of value.

And by establishing and operating a special lodge, and by such other proper methods incident thereto, to promote and perpetuate the work of charity and benevolence at the Indiana Pythian Home and to strengthen the Order Knights of Pythias of the Domain of Indiana.

Management.

Sec. 2. The Pythian Foundation shall be managed and operated and its affairs administered by a board of five Governors, who shall be members in good standing of this Grand Lodge.

They shall be elected by the Grand Lodge for the term of five Grand Lodge years from and after the date of their election.

Provided, that immediately after the passage of this statute the Grand Chancellor shall appoint a Board of Governors of five members of this Grand Lodge to hold office for the terms of 5, 4, 3, 2 and 1 years, respectively.

Annually thereafter one Governor shall be elected as Grand Lodge officers are elected for a term of five years.

Any vacancy in the office of Governor shall be filled by appointment by the Grand Chancellor, who shall serve until the next convention of the Grand Lodge, when such vacancy shall be filled by election for the unexpired term.

Organization.

Sec. 3. Said Board of Governors shall organize and elect one of their number as President, one as Secretary and one as Treasurer, and otherwise perfect their organization as hereinafter provided to carry into execution the purposes of the Pythian Foundation, and are hereby invested with full power and authority to do and perform all things necessary to carry out the object of the Pythian Foundation.

Said Board of Governors shall serve without compensation.

The Board of Governors shall give bond in such amount as shall be fixed by the Executive Committee of the Grand Lodge.

Provided, however, that all actual necessary expenses and bonds and other expenses of said Board incurred as such officers shall be paid out of the Foundation Fund.

Powers and Duties.

Sec. 4. The Board of Governors of said Foundation shall have the following powers and duties:

To make and adopt rules and regulations to govern their proceedings; to provide for meetings of said Board of Governors, who shall hold at least two meetings annually; to keep proper records and books of accounts and to provide for the proper auditing thereof; to engage and employ necessary clerical help and officers necessary to carry into effect the purposes of said Pythian Foundation and fix their compensation; to secure and make provision for the bonding of such assistants and officers having custody of funds; to designate depositaries of the funds and property of said Foundation; to collect rents, dividends, incomes or other property for said Pythian Foundation; to loan and invest funds and purchase securities, stocks and bonds; to receive, acquire, purchase, sell, assign, dispose of stocks, bonds or other securities or property, real or mixed, or any right, title or interest therein; to contract, purchase, take hold, sell, convey, lease or otherwise acquire and dispose of real estate; to institute or defend legal or other necessary proceedings; to protect the rights of said Pythian Foundation; to foreclose liens and mortgages and to assign, release the same, and to settle and compromise claims and demands for or against said Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Indiana; to employ attorneys to represent them in legal proceedings and to do and perform any and all other acts or things necessary and advisable for the proper administration and carrying into effect of the purposes of this act, all for and in the name of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Indiana.

Sec. 5. Gifts, bequests, transfers and conveyances to said Pythian Foundation shall be encouraged by said Board of Governors for said Pythian Foundation in anything of value and received by said Board of Governors for the perpetuation, endowment and benefit of the Indiana Pythian Home at Lafayette, Indiana, for and in the name of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Indiana.

Said Board of Governors shall record and acknowledge all gifts, bequests, transfers and conveyances.

Regulation of Gifts.

Sec. 6. Said Board of Governors shall make rules and regulations for the acceptance or rejection of gifts, bequests, transfers and conveyances, and may reject or accept any condition therein, and provide for the proper handling and investment of such funds, property or things of value.

Foundation Manager.

Sec. 7. Said Board of Governors may engage a competent Foundation Manager, whose duties shall be the management and direction of an active campaign to create, develop and maintain such Permanent Trust Fund, and to establish and operate the Special Lodge therefor.

Said Foundation Manager shall have general charge of said campaign under the supervision of said Board and carry into execution the orders of said Board.

He shall actively promote the welfare of said Pythian Foundation by proper solicitation of gifts, bequests, transfers and conveyances from members of the Order, lodges thereof and its auxiliaries, any friends thereof and by the organization and operation of a special lodge as hereinafter provided.

Other Property.

Sec. 8. Property other than money may be accepted and shall be managed, handled and used in such manner as the Board of Governors shall determine for the best interest of said Pythian Foundation, and may be sold, conveyed, transferred, assigned and converted into cash as they may deem for the welfare of said Pythian Foundation, as other property is sold by said Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias.

Reports.

Sec. 9. The Board of Governors shall make annual reports to the Grand Lodge of its doings, the amount of gross receipts, their allocation and expenses incurred, the income from such funds and such recommendations for the betterment of said Pythian Foundation, as they may deem advisable.

Funds.

Sec. 10. All funds obtained by said Board of Governors for said Pythian Foundation shall be maintained and carried in three separate accounts and funds.

First: The principal of said Permanent Trust Fund shall be invested by the Board of Governors in a safe income producing manner, and all evidences thereof shall be in the custody of said Board of Governors, all moneys must be deposited in designated, insured, supervised depositaries.

Second: The income from said Permanent Trust Fund, and all dues collected from Foundation memberships for the use and benefit of the Indiana Pythian Home shall be paid by the Board of Governors semi-annually to the Board of Directors of said Indiana Pythian Home for and into the General Fund thereof.

Third: The dues collected from Foundation memberships for the Foundation Fund shall be deposited in designated, insured, supervised depositaries and used to pay the necessary expenses of the management and operation of said Pythian Foundation.

Deputy Grand Chancellor.

Sec. 11. The Foundation Manager may appoint soliciting officers, agents, and helpers, and all Deputy Grand Chancellors are by virtue of their commissions made soliciting officers and agents for said Pythian Foundation.

Subordinate Officers and Members.

Sec. 12. All subordinate lodge officers and members are expected to aid in the enlargement of said Permanent Trust Fund and to co-operate in the organization of said Endowment Lodge.

ARTICLE II.

Endowment Lodge.

Sec. 1. The Board of Governors shall provide for the organization of a Special Lodge to be known and named as Endowment Lodge, the purpose of which shall be the perpetuation of the Indiana Pythian Home, and retaining certain of the members of the Order in good standing and fellowship.

Sec. 2. There shall be no stated meetings of said lodge, nor any financial benefits to any of the members thereof.

Officers.

Sec. 3. The Grand Chancellor shall perform the duties of Chancellor Commander of said Special Lodge. The Board of Governors shall perform the duties of all other offices thereof.

Sec. 4. The Foundation Manager shall receive and record all applications for membership, submit the same to the Board of Governors for approval of membership and election thereto, whereupon the Secretary shall enroll such elected members and the Treasurer receive, record and collect the fees and dues as provided herein.

Fees and Dues.

Sec. 5. The fee for membership in said Endowment Lodge shall be Five Dollars, which must accompany the application.

Sec. 6. The dues in the Endowment Lodge shall be Four Dollars, one-half payable in advance each July 1st and January 1st following election to membership.

Certificate of Membership.

Sec. 7. Every member of the Endowment Lodge shall receive, upon his election, a certificate of membership and upon the payment of his dues an official receipt which shall entitle him to receive the password and proper recognition in all subordinate lodges.

Members of Endowment Lodge.

Sec. 8. The following Pythians may become members of the Endowment Lodge:

(A) Any member of any Subordinate Lodge Knights of Pythias in the Supreme Domain, resident in Indiana, may become a member of the Endowment Lodge as a dual member of the Order.

(B) Any member in good standing of any subordinate lodge in Indiana which is about to surrender its charter, or any member of any subordinate lodge who has withdrawn his membership card, or any member who was in good standing when his lodge surrendered its charter, or whose charter was arrested, may become a member of the Endowment Lodge.

(C) Any worthy person who was formerly a member of the Order Knights of Pythias, resident in the State of Indiana, may become a member of the Endowment Lodge.

Sec. 9. He shall apply for membership upon a special membership blank with the recommendation of two members of the Order in good standing, and satisfy said Board of Governors of the Pythian Foundation that he is worthy to become a member of the Endowment Lodge. He shall accompany his application with membership fee of Five Dollars

and an agreement to pay the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of the Grand Domain of Indiana for the Pythian Foundation annual dues of Four Dollars, one-half payable each July 1st and January 1st thereafter, in advance.

Said membership fee is to be placed in the Permanent Trust Fund, and the dues paid shall be allocated as follows: One Dollar into the General Indiana Pythian Home Fund and One Dollar into the General Fund of the Grand Lodge, and the remainder in the General Foundation Fund.

Status of Membership.

Sec. 10. Any member of the Endowment Lodge shall be considered in the same status as if holding membership in a subordinate lodge.

Life Member of Endowment Lodge.

Sec. 11. Any person eligible to become a member of the Endowment Lodge as above, may become a life member thereof upon proper application therefor and the payment of One Hundred Dollars.

Such life member shall thereafter pay no further dues or assessments.

Ten Dollars of such life membership fee shall be allocated to the General Fund of the Indiana Pythian Home, Ten Dollars to the General Fund of the Grand Lodge, and Ten Dollars to the Foundation Fund, and the remainder into the Permanent Trust Fund.

Whereas, an emergency exists, these statutes shall be in full force and effect from and after their passage.

CHARLES S. LOY,
P. C. Swayzee Lodge No. 451.
GALE ZIRKLE,
P. C. Swayzee Lodge No. 451.
COLIN V. DUNBAR,
P. C. 19th Century Lodge No. 470.
CARL R. MITCHELL,
P. C. Anniversary Lodge No. 89.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary, Finance and State of the Order.

This proposition was withdrawn by Grand Chancellor Loy at the Wednesday afternoon session.

Document No. 25.

CASTLE HALL OF VINCENNES LODGE No. 47.

Vincennes, Ind., September 12, 1930.

Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S., 1006 Indiana Pythian Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana:

Dear Brother Mitchell—In November, 1928, a proposition was offered to consolidate the two lodges, Dioscuri Lodge No. 47 and Cornerstone Lodge No. 526 in Vincennes.

This was accomplished early in January, 1929, and on the 17th day of January, the new lodge, known as Vincennes Lodge No. 47, held its first meeting under the authority of a warrant. We are still working under this warrant and now ask you to exchange this for a charter.

O. T. OTT,
(Seal.) Keeper of Records and Seal.

On motion, duly seconded, the request was granted and the officers of the Grand Lodge were directed to issue a charter to Vincennes Lodge No. 47.

Document No. 26.

CASTLE HALL OF MYSTIC LODGE No. 23.

Harrodsburg, Ind., April 30, 1930.

Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S., 1006 Indiana Pythian Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana:

Dear Sir and Brother—This is to certify that the Charter, seal and English ritual of Mystic Lodge No. 23 were destroyed by fire on the 24th day of April, 1930. We therefore request the issuance of a temporary Warrant and a new Charter and also request a new English ritual to replace the one destroyed by fire.

(Signed) MYSTIC LODGE No. 23, Harrodsburg.
By FRANK FOWLER, C. C.
CHARLES W. SMITH, K. R. S.

(Seal.)

On motion, duly seconded, the request was granted and the officers of the Grand Lodge were directed to issue a new charter to Mystic Lodge No. 23.

Document No. 27.

CASTLE HALL AMITY LODGE No. 362.

Galveston, Ind., September 16, 1930.

Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S., 1006 Indiana Pythian Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana:

Dear Sir and Brother—This is to certify that the Charter of Amity Lodge No. 362 was destroyed by fire on the 1st day of June, 1930. We therefore request the issuance of a new charter to replace the one destroyed by fire.

(Signed) AMITY LODGE No. 362, Galveston.
By C. D. SPAULDING, C. C.
(Seal.) C. E. LENON, K. R. S.

On motion, duly seconded, the request was granted and the officers of the Grand Lodge were directed to issue a new charter to Amity Lodge No. 362.

Document No. 28.

Danville, Ill., October 6, 1930.

Carl R. Mitchell, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Indianapolis, Indiana:

The Indiana Supreme Lodge representatives rendered meritorious service at the Supreme Lodge session at Tampa. They were exceedingly kind to the Uniform Rank and I appreciate it very much. I hope your Grand Lodge will be as kind to General Hooker financially as the Supreme Lodge was to me. National Headquarters of the Uniform Rank pledge our loyal support to the subordinate lodges of the Grand Domain of Indiana during the coming term.

MAJOR GENERAL L. A. TUGGLE.

The Grand Keeper of Records and Seal read the following letter from Past Grand Chancellor James T. Darnell of Guthrie, Oklahoma, oldest living Past Grand Chancellor of this Grand Domain.

Document No. 29.

Guthrie, Okla., October 1, 1930.

Brethren—As you are in session in the Grand Lodge, my heart is with you. The urgent requests of my brothers, Past Grand Chancellor Tindall and Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Mitchell, to meet with you at this session have touched me very deeply. On account of continued poor health, I can only send my greetings and best wishes for the health and happiness for every member of the Grand Lodge. I am confined to my room and bed, not able to get around without assistance. The years gone by have dealt very graciously with me and turned many streams of happiness into my life. It has occasioned me no small measure of regret that the condition of my health forbids my attendance on the meeting of the Grand Lodge this year. You don't know how much I would like to be with you and shake hands with you once more. That is impossible. Many of our Past Grand Chancellors are in attendance on the meeting of the Grand Lodge which is in perpetual session on high. May it be the supreme aim of all true Pythians to answer that roll call above, when they are transferred from the lodge below. I assure you, Brethren, of my heartiest greetings. You shall have my best wishes so long as I shall be permitted to live in the midst of the things of time.

Brethren, let us be true to our mission, and honor and gladness will be our heritage. Fraternally yours,

JAMES T. DARNELL, P. G. C. 1882.

The letter was ordered made a part of the records and the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal was directed to acknowledge receipt and to convey the greetings and good wishes of the Grand Lodge to Past Grand Chancellor Darnell.

Grand Chancellor Loy announced the appointment of a special committee of fifteen members to which he referred Document No. 9, the same being the special report and findings of the Committee on Finance. The following members of the Grand Lodge were appointed on the committee: H. P. Root, Letts Lodge No. 357, Letts; Miles Baxter, Auburn Lodge No. 191, Auburn; C. E. Rothrock, Crescens Lodge No. 33, New Castle; Lee M. Peter, Helmet Lodge No. 346, Young America; Dr. S. P. Scherer, Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville; W. R. Higgins, Good Intent Lodge No. 29, Kokomo; A. C. Melson, Hercules Lodge No. 127, Peru; Sante Davidson, Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville; George P. Kibbe, Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Indianapolis; Charles A. Wulf, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis; R. C. Smith, Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport; Robert Heller, Gary Lodge No. 541, Gary; Joe Hocker, Elwood Lodge No. 166, Elwood; Q. N. Taggart, Crusade Lodge No. 14, South Bend; C. A. Whitton, Capital City Lodge No. 97, Indianapolis.

Document No. 30.

October 7, 1930.

Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, to Samuel E. Garrison, Dr.

Services as Committee on Subordinate Lodge Constitution and By-Laws for year beginning October 3, 1929, and ending October 7, 1930, $100.00.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

For the action of the Grand Lodge allowing the bill see Document No. 60.

Document No. 31.

Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, to Fred J. Rhorer, Dr.

Services as Chairman of Committee on Finance, $100.00.

It was moved by G. K. R. S. Mitchell, seconded and carried, that the rules be suspended and the bill be allowed.

Document No. 32.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A resolution endorsing the observance of the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington.

Whereas, The Congress of the United States has created a commission to arrange a fitting nation-wide observance of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the birth of George Washington in 1932; and,

Whereas, The commission so created, composed of the President of the United States, the Vice-President of the United States, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, four members of the United States Senate, four members of the House of Representatives, and eight citizens appointed by the President of the United States, is charged with the duty of planning and directing the celebration; and,

Whereas, The high purpose of the event is to commemorate the life, character and achievements of the most illustrious citizen of our Republic and to give every man, woman and child living under the Stars and Stripes an opportunity to take part in the celebration which will be outstanding in the world's history; and,

Whereas, The George Washington Bicentennial Commission, desiring the full cooperation of the people of the United States, has extended a most cordial and urgent invitation to our Order to participate in the celebration. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, does hereby endorse the program of observance of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the birth of George Washington, to take place in 1932; accept with appreciation the invitation of the George Washington Bicentennial Commission, and pledge this organization to extend earnest cooperation to the United States Commission in all possible ways, so that future generations of American citizens may be inspired to live according to the example and precepts of Washington's exalted life and character, and thus perpetuate the American Republic. And, be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be incorporated in the official proceedings of this convention, and that a copy thereof be transmitted to the George Washington Bicentennial Commission, Washington, D. C.

CARL R. MITCHELL, G. K. R. S.

Referred to Committee on State of the Order.

For the action of the Grand Lodge passing the resolution see Document No. 68.

Numerous announcements were made, with stress being laid upon the plans for placing a wreath at the World War Memorial at one o'clock and the trip by special train to Lafayette to visit the Pythian Home Tuesday afternoon.

The Grand Lodge then recessed until nine o'clock Wednesday morning.

FIRST DAY—AFTERNOON

The officers and members of the Grand Lodge assembled at 12:45 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in Pennsylvania St., opposite the Indiana Pythian Building. A parade was formed under direction of Grand Marshal Frank Shellhouse, and the Grand Lodge marched north in Pennsylvania St. toward the open plaza of the Indiana World War Memorial. The column of more than five hundred men was headed by the Indianapolis News Newsboys' Band, Brig.-Gen. Levi Hooker and his staff, and Success Company No. 76 of Seymour of the Uniform Rank.

A brief, impressive ceremony was conducted at the Memorial. A beautiful floral wreath was placed on the altar as Grand Chancellor Charles S. Loy uttered these words: "With confidence in the love of God, with faith that in death a true Knight is advanced to a nobler rank, we are assembled here to do honor to our deceased Pythian brothers of the World War and other wars of our nation. We place this wreath as a token in remembrance of the broken ties of Pythian friendship upon this altar of fraternity." Prayer was offered by Chaplain Archibald M. Hall.

Still headed by the Newsboys' Band and the Uniform Rank, the Grand Lodge marched down Meridian St. to the Union Station and then entrained for Lafayette. A parade through the streets of Lafayette had been planned, likewise an open air memorial service at the base of the Carnahan Memorial Flag Pole on the Pythian Home grounds, but an incessant rain which began shortly before the special train reached Lafayette forced abandonment of this plan. Street cars were boarded at the nearest point and the visitors were taken by automobile from the carline to the Pythian Home where they found pleasant shelter throughout the afternoon in the several buildings.

Memorial services were held in the dining room under direction of Grand Chancellor Loy in memory of the deceased residents of the Pythian Home and the deceased members of the Order throughout the state. As the names of the departed were called, flowers were placed on the altar in their memory by the boys and girls of the Pythian Home and a floral sword was placed by Lafayette Company No. 1, Uniform Rank, in memory of General Carnahan. The memorial address was delivered by the Rev. Thomas F. Williams of Lafayette.

The special train left Lafayette at 7:00 o'clock on the return trip to Indianapolis.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION

Grand Lodge convened at 9:00 a. m. with the Grand Lodge officers and a majority of the members present. Grand Chancellor Loy was in the chair.

Messages of greeting were read from Supreme Chancellor Leslie E. Crouch and Supreme Minister of Records E. H. McFarland of the Princes of Syracuse.

Document No. 33.

Petersburg, Va., October 7, 1930.

Charles S. Loy, Grand Chancellor Knights of Pythias, Indianapolis, Indiana:

Extremely disappointed my inability to visit you this year. Convey my fraternal greetings to the membership and best wishes for a most successful meeting. Sincerely and fraternally,

L. E. CROUCH, Supreme Chancellor.

Document No. 34.

Chicago, Ill., October 7, 1930.

Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S. Knights of Pythias, Indianapolis, Indiana:

The Supreme Palace Princes of Syracuse extend fraternal greetings and best wishes for a profitable and harmonious convention. Congratulations to Brother Loy on his successful administration.

E. H. McFARLAND, Supreme Minister of Records.

The report of the Supreme Representatives was made verbally by Supreme Representative Dore B. Erwin. He reviewed the matters of legislation considered and passed at the Supreme Lodge convention at Tampa, Florida, August 11-16, 1930, and discussed the various other proceedings of the Supreme Lodge convention, including the revision of the ritual and the so-called divorcement of the Insurance Department.

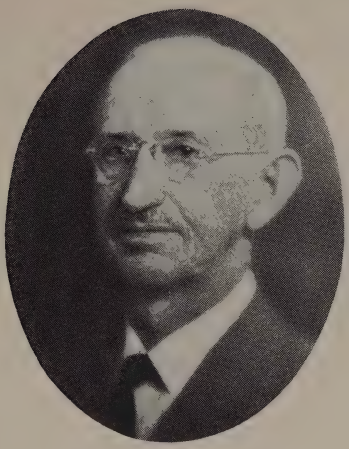
The roll call of committees was ordered and several reports from the Committee on State of the Order were read by Chairman Wm. M. Nauer.

Document No. 35.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—We, your Committee on State of the Order, to which was referred those parts of the report of the Grand Chancellor relating to "State of the Order," "Grand Lodge Affairs," "Deputy Grand Chancellors and Officers," "District Meetings," "Page Rank Classes," "Round-up Meetings," "State-wide Picnic and Reunion," "Legion of Knights," "Appointments," "Publicity," "Pythian Journal," "A Revival," "The Problems of Our Order," "Organization," "The Plan," "The Survey," "Seriousness of Carelessness," "Reinstatements," "Honest Efforts," "Roll of Honor," "Conspicuous Service," "Honor Lodges," "Pythian Sisters," "Military Department," "Princes of Syracuse," "Bureau of Relief," "Pythian Home," "Foil Campaign," "Classes in My Honor," "In Memoriam," "Promotion of Ritualistic Officers," "Instructions of New Members," "Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S.," and "Conclusion," respectfully report that we gave these our earnest consideration, and submit for your approval the following:

State of the Order: The Grand Chancellor says in his report that "notwithstanding the zealous work and faithful effort of many of our Pythians, this Grand Domain still shows a loss in members," but when compared to results in the last seven years, it is encouraging and hopes that this inspiration will carry on the battle to victory." It is the



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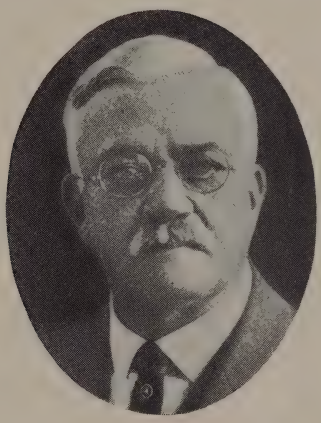

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opinion of your committee that this statement tells the whole story of the state of the Order at this time. We must admit that present conditions were brought about by the tireless and energetic efforts of Grand Chancellor Loy and his able assistants, and we urge and insist that the same kind of an organization and the same efforts be used the coming year, and, if so done, our Order will continue to advance until still further satisfactory results will be obtained. Let us honor Grand Chancellor Loy by our continued earnest efforts to advance still further the good and welfare of this great Order.

Grand Lodge Affairs: The economy, efficiency and harmony which exists in things pertaining to our Grand Lodge leads us to indorse all the Grand Chancellor says in relation to our Indiana Pythian Building, the Trustees and management.

Deputy Grand Chancellors and Officers: These officers under the leadership of Grand Chancellor Loy are to be commended on their loyal support. They are entitled to much of the glory of our excellent record of the past year.

District Meetings: Twenty-six District Meetings caused our membership generally to rally to genuine service, and were the opening wedges for action that brought real results. We urge our members to attend these meetings, and thus receive the needed inspiration for future efforts.

Page Rank Classes: While the twenty-six Page Rank Class meetings were disappointing to the Grand Chancellor, may we not assume that he probably expected, on account of his great zeal, results that were too great to attain. All of these meetings were successful and were the means of adding many members to the Order, and this branch of the past year's activities showed good results and should be continued.

Round-up Meetings: These meetings caused the general public to know that Pythianism was alert and active. They were indeed jubilee meetings and showed the Grand Chancellor that our membership heartily indorsed his efforts to obtain such great results.

State-wide Picnic and Reunion: As the cap sheaf of the activities of the year, the picnic at the Indiana Pythian Home at Lafayette on July 20th was the most fraternal and pleasing affair of the whole year. Thousands of the members of the Order and their friends enjoyed the day with our Home folks, and Hospitality, Friendship and Brotherly Love predominated.

Legion of Knights: We indorse the action of the Grand Chancellor in drafting 100 of our capable members into a "Legion of Knights," and congratulate him for being so successful in this venture.

Appointments: We recommend the approval of all appointments made by the Grand Chancellor during his term of office.

Publicity: We indorse all that is said of the publicity received from the press the past year. We have received much notice from this source, and it is both pleasing and appreciated.

Pythian Journal: We note with approval what is said of the Pythian Journal, and indorse the recommendation of the Grand Chancellor that it be read at each session of the subordinate lodge.

A Revival: The efforts of the Grand Chancellor has indeed brought about a revival. This spirit, zeal and enthusiasm of our members generally has increased to the extent that they are doing things, and we feel that if we carry on in the future as we have during the past year we will ultimately recover all lost ground.

The Problems of the Order, Organization, the Plan, the Survey, Seriousness of Carelessness, Reinstatements, and Honest Effort are all related, and if we but carry out the beliefs and recommendations of the Grand Chancellor, and make an honest effort, all of our problems will be solved. So let us renew our pledges and not forget them.

The Roll of Honor, Conspicuous Service and Honor Lodges: The large list of brothers and lodges in these is indeed gratifying, and the

mere mention of names does not give enough credit to the loyal brothers and lodges, so we take this means of further honoring them.

Pythian Sisters, Military Department, Princes of Syracuse, D. O. K. K., and Bureau of Relief: The purpose of the Grand Chancellor to aid and promote these departments and auxiliaries was a noble one. His recommendation that the Pythian Sisters join with us in our works of charity and benevolence at the Home, and that arrangements be made so that Temple sessions and the Grand Lodge Convention could be held contemporaneously is full of wisdom, and we recommend its adoption.

Pythian Home: We read with much satisfaction what the Grand Chancellor has to say about our Pythian Home. A great achievement attained in such a short time, a force for helpfulness and comfort for our dependents. He asks: "Do you approve?" Show him your approval by going to Lafayette and visit the Home so that you may see for yourselves how wonderful it is, and how Pythianism in Indiana is carrying out the TRUE principles of the Order. Do this, and when you return to your home lodge report fully on your visit.

The Foil Campaign, Classes in My Honor, In Memoriam, Promotion of Ritualistic Officers, Instruction of New Members, Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S., and Conclusion, have all been fully considered by your committee, and we recommend that these parts of the Grand Chancellor's report be approved.

Fraternally submitted,

W. M. NAUER,
S. C. DWYER,
H. G. BARNES,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Document No. 36.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—We, your Committee on State of the Order, to which was referred certain parts of the report of the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, submit the following:

State of the Order: We recommend that every member of the Order read what the G. K. R. S. has to say on the state of the Order. He is in a position to know the true facts, and gives them to us in this report in a way that is convincing, and causes us to congratulate ourselves on the excellent showing. Taking all conditions into consideration, our Order in this Grand Domain is in much better shape than for years. Success always comes from earnest effort.

We note with satisfaction what he says of the District Meetings, Page Rank Classes and other events. All of these had much to do with the making of a successful year of Pythianism.

We recommend the approval of the consolidation of lodges and charters surrendered, as stated in this report, and that the process of consolidation be continued until such time when all of our lodges will be active.

Bank Bond: We should take much comfort from the fact that our subordinate lodges are protected by a bank bond, and recommend the approval of the action of the Grand Lodge officers in the general increase to each schedule.

We deplore the losses suffered by fire by Mystic Lodge No. 23 and Amity Lodge No. 362, and trust that these lodges will recover quickly from their losses, and we recommend that new Charters be issued to replace those destroyed. We also recommend the issuance of a Charter to Vincennes Lodge No. 47, on account of the consolidation of Dioscuri Lodge No. 47 and Corner Stone Lodge No. 526.

We recommend the approval of the action of the Grand Lodge Trustees and Finance Committee in purchasing an Ediphone for the use of the G. K. R. S. It was a much needed addition to the equipment of the office.

Our Grand Lodge Building and Auditorium, according to this report, are in good condition financially and otherwise, and the building manager is capable and energetic in keeping them in excellent order.

We note with much interest the parts of this report relating to the Past Grand Chancellors Association, the G. K. R. S. Association and the Pythian Sisters. We heartily indorse all that has been said relating to closer relationship with the Pythian Sisters.

Eight hundred fifty-one Brother Knights have passed to the Great Beyond during the past year, 181 of these being Past Chancellors. We feel keenly this great loss.

The Finance Committee, with its added powers, has a very enlightening report at this convention, and we should appreciate this report fully. We urge that everything possible be done to get our many delinquent lodges in good standing and thus better the state of the Order.

The G. K. R. S., in his report, says some very deserving things of Grand Chancellor Loy and also of Grand Chancellor Dunbar. We appreciate fully the past efforts of Brother Loy, and confidently expect good things of Brother Dunbar.

The Statistical Report, Lodges Consolidated, Charters Surrendered, and list of deceased Past Chancellors are fully considered and should be read to be appreciated. While we show a loss of 2,890 for the year, our general condition is such that we have every reason to believe that next year's report will show less loss in membership. Let us look to the future with much optimism.

The G. K. R. S., in concluding his report, informs us that there is much pleasure in looking back over the events of the year, which has been characterized by genuine activity, progress and growth, and that a new spirit is ahead in our lodge work. Taking this statement as representing the true facts, your committee wishes to say to you that the Order in this Grand Domain is in better condition than it has been for years, and if we continue our activities of the past year, we can assure you that we will, at our next convention, report to you added prosperity and happiness.

Fraternally submitted,

W. M. NAUER,
S. C. DWYER,
H. G. BARNES,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Document No. 37.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—We, your Committee on State of the Order, to which was referred the report of the Indiana Pythian Home Board of Directors, respectfully report that we have given this report much consideration.

We feel that it is not necessary to enlarge on this report in any way. It speaks for itself, and shows that the Board has been diligent in every duty, and used much of their time, intelligence and energy in making our Home what it is today.

In a former report we have urged you to visit the Home and see yourselves just what it is and what it represents, then read the report. You will then be convinced that the Home is in mighty good hands, and will continue to serve us to the best of their ability. If you get nothing

more out of the Order than the knowledge that our dependents are being cared for, you will have been fully repaid.

Fraternally submitted,

W. M. NAUER,
S. C. DWYER,
H. G. BARNES,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Grand Chancellor Loy announced that the hour of ten o'clock had arrived, which is the time fixed by statute for the election of officers. He directed the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal to read the official list of candidates.

Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Mitchell read the list and submitted one of the official ballots for the record.

Document No. 38.

OFFICIAL BALLOT.

FOR GRAND CHANCELLOR—
DR. COLIN V. DUNBAR, Nineteenth Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis.

FOR GRAND VICE-CHANCELLOR—
LEVI HOOKER, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.

FOR GRAND PRELATE—
EDWIN R. THOMAS, Phoenix Lodge No. 101, Fort Wayne.

FOR GRAND KEEPER OF RECORDS AND SEAL—
CARL R. MITCHELL, Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville.

FOR GRAND MASTER OF EXCHEQUER—
HENRY KAMMERER, Apollo Lodge No. 62, Logansport.

FOR GRAND MASTER-AT-ARMS—
HARRY C. SULLIVAN, Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay.

FOR GRAND INNER GUARD—
RAYMOND R. TASH, Salem Lodge No. 96, Salem.

FOR GRAND OUTER GUARD—
ROSCOE L. BROWN, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis.
JOE W. TODD, Hammond Lodge No. 210, Hammond.
ARTHUR RITCHEY, Camden Lodge No. 332, Camden.

FOR GRAND TRUSTEE—
W. W. CROOKER, Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville.

It was moved by Past Chancellor Wm. C. Zaring of No. 50, Plainfield, duly seconded and unanimously carried, that the Grand Master-at-Arms be instructed to cast the unanimous vote of the Grand Lodge for all candidates on the ballot except those for the office of Grand Outer Guard.

Grand Master-at-Arms Thomas thereupon cast the entire vote of the Grand Lodge as follows:

For the office of Grand Chancellor for the ensuing year, Dr. Colin V. Dunbar of No. 470, Indianapolis.

For the office of Grand Vice-Chancellor for the ensuing year, Levi Hooker of No. 35, Evansville.

For the office of Grand Prelate for the ensuing year, Edwin R. Thomas of No. 101, Fort Wayne.

For the office of Grand Keeper of Records and Seal for the ensuing year, Carl R. Mitchell of No. 89, Martinsville.

For the office of Grand Master of Exchequer for the ensuing year, Henry Kammerer of No. 62, Logansport.

For the office of Grand Master-at-Arms for the ensuing year, Harry C. Sullivan of No. 149, Vevay.

For the office of Grand Inner Guard for the ensuing year, Raymond R. Tash of No. 96, Salem.

For the office of Grand Lodge Trustee for the ensuing three-year term, W. W. Crooker of No. 13, Jeffersonville.

Grand Chancellor Loy officially declared these officers duly elected to the respective offices for the ensuing terms. The Grand Chancellor then announced that a ballot would be taken for the election of Grand Outer Guard. He appointed the following Tellers to distribute, collect and count the ballots:

Document No. 39.

L. I. Keene, No. 1, Indianapolis.
Wm. O. Reuter, No. 127, Peru.
Wm. C. Zaring, No. 50, Plainfield.
C. A. Whitton, No. 97, Indianapolis.
C. H. Smedley, No. 96, Salem.
F. G. Armick, No. 332, Camden.
Ralph K. Sines, No. 62, Logansport.
Harry Peterson, No. 477, East Chicago.
Frank Beach, No. 210, Hammond.
J. E. Henshaw, No. 541, Gary.

At this juncture Grand Chancellor Loy observed the entrance of Senator James E. Watson, Past Supreme Representative, and appointed Supreme Representative Craig and Past Supreme Representatives Neal and Gaylor to escort him to the platform. Brother Watson was given an ovation and responded with a very excellent short address.

Past Chancellor W. H. Byington of No. 35, Evansville, asked that the candidates for Grand Outer Guard be called to the platform and be introduced to the Grand Lodge. The request was granted and the candidates were called to the platform.

It was moved by Past Chancellor Wm. U. Wohlbach, No. 116, Fort Wayne, that the clapping of hands as candidates were introduced be dispensed with. The motion was seconded but was overwhelmingly voted down.

Grand Chancellor Loy introduced the candidates for Grand Outer Guard as follows: Roscoe L. Brown, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis; Joe W. Todd, Hammond Lodge

No. 210, Hammond; Arthur Ritchey, Camden Lodge No. 332, Camden.

The Tellers distributed the ballots, collected the same and retired to the Grand Lodge parlor to tabulate the vote.

The report of the Committee on State of the Order on Document No. 13 was read.

Document No. 40.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on State of the Order, to which was referred Document No. 13, the same being a resolution relative to inviting the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters of Indiana to hold conventions concurrently with the Grand Lodge, and introduced by Charles S. Loy and Carl R. Mitchell, beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be adopted.

W. M. NAUER,
S. C. DWYER,
H. G. BARNES,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

On motion of Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Mitchell, duly seconded, the resolution was adopted.

Grand Chancellor Loy appointed Supreme Representative Craig, Past Supreme Representatives Wilson and Neal and Past Grand Chancellor Trabue as a committee to escort the officers of the Pythian Sisters. A recess was declared and the committee escorted Past Supreme Chief Elizabeth J. Hutchinson of Portland, Maine; Grand Chief Daisy Duvall of Richmond, Grand Senior Nell C. McCurry of Goodland and Grand Junior Ida Neal of Aurora to the platform.

Inspiring addresses were delivered by the Grand Chief, the Grand Senior and the Grand Junior. The Grand Chief then presented Mrs. Hutchinson, Past Supreme Chief and Chairman of the Supreme Temple Committee in charge of Leper relief work for the Philippine Islands. Mrs. Hutchinson spoke in a very interesting way of this work and then unveiled a beautiful oil painting which had been presented to the Supreme Temple Pythian Sisters by William McKinley Lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias, of Manilla, Philippine Islands, in appreciation of assistance rendered by the Pythian Sisters. Mrs. Hutchinson formally delivered the painting on behalf of the Supreme Temple into the custody of the Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters of Indiana until such time as the Supreme Temple may provide a permanent place for it. The custody of the painting was awarded to Indiana for the reason that the Pythian Sisters were founded in Indiana and

for the further reason that Indiana Pythians own their building which contains a permanent meeting place where the painting can receive proper care.

Under the supervision of Building Manager John H. Frank and Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Carl R. Mitchell, the painting was hung on the wall at the back of the stage a few days before the Grand Lodge convention. Shaded electric lights were installed so as to bring out the full beauty of the painting which depicts a tropical scene in the island of Ceylon. Further ceremonies in connection with the painting were held in the convention of the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters, which followed the Grand Lodge convention.

After appropriate responses to the addresses of the officers of the Pythian Sisters had been made by Grand Chancellor Loy and others, the visitors retired and the Grand Lodge resumed its session.

The Tellers submitted their report of the result of the ballot for the election of Grand Outer Guard.

Document No. 41.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

We, your Board of Tellers, herewith submit the result of the first ballot for the election of Grand Outer Guard, giving the number of votes cast and counted, as follows:

Whole number of votes cast	549
Necessary to a choice	275
R. L. Brown received	101
Joe W. Todd received	332
Arthur Ritchey received	116

Fraternally submitted,

WM. O. REUTER,
L. I. KEENE,
H. G. PETERSON,
WM. C. ZARING, JR.,
FRANK W. BEACH,
C. A. WHITTON,
C. H. SMEDLEY,
F. G. ARMICK,
RALPH K. SINES,
J. E. HINSHAW,
Tellers.

It was moved by Past Chancellor Arthur Ritchey and seconded by Past Chancellor Roscoe L. Brown that the election of Joe W. Todd to the office of Grand Outer Guard be made unanimous. The motion carried and Grand Chancellor Loy officially declared Joe W. Todd elected to the office of Grand Outer Guard for the ensuing year.

Calls for a speech from Grand Outer Guard-elect Todd were heard and he spoke briefly in appreciation of his election.

The roll call of committees was resumed and several reports were received from the Committee on Judiciary.

Document No. 42.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 14, the same being a proposition relative to Grand Lodge Committees, and introduced by Charles S. Loy, G. C., beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be passed.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

On motion, duly seconded, the amendment was passed and Section 33 of the Grand Lodge Statutes was amended as provided in Document No. 14.

Document No. 43.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 15, the same being a proposition relative to District Meetings, and introduced by Colin V. Dunbar, G. V. C., beg leave to report that we have given the same careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be passed.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

On motion, duly seconded, the amendment was passed and Section 166 of the Grand Lodge Statutes was amended as provided in Document No. 15.

Document No. 44.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 16, the same being a proposition relative to Regional Meetings, and introduced by Colin V. Dunbar, G. V. C., beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be passed.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

On motion, duly seconded, the amendment was passed and Section 172 of the Grand Lodge Statutes was amended as provided in Document No. 16.

Document No. 45.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 17, the same being a proposition relative to Installing Officers, and introduced by Colin V. Dunbar, G. V. C., beg leave to report that we have given the same careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be passed.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

On motion, duly seconded, the amendment was passed and Section 174 of the Grand Lodge Statutes was amended as provided in Document No. 17.

Document No. 46.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 18, the same being a proposition relative to Good Standing, and introduced by Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S., beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be passed.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

On motion, duly seconded, the amendment was passed and Section 230 of the Grand Lodge Statutes was amended as provided in Document No. 18.

Document No. 47.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 19, the same being a proposition relative to Balloting on Reinstatements, and introduced by Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S., beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

On motion, duly seconded, the amendment was passed and Section 253 of the Grand Lodge Statutes was amended as provided in Document No. 19.

The Grand Lodge recessed until 1:15 p. m.

SECOND DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

The Grand Lodge reconvened at 1:15 p. m. with the Grand Lodge officers and a majority of the representatives present, Grand Chancellor Loy presiding.

Before resuming the consideration of pending legislation Grand Chancellor Loy expressed his pleasure in having been able to arrange a ritualistic treat for the members of the Grand Lodge. Past Chancellor Schuyler C. Dwyer of Whiting Lodge No. 348, member of the Grand Lodge Committee on State of the Order, appeared upon the platform robed as a Chancellor Commander and gave a remarkable portrayal of the story of Damon and Pythias in presenting the lesson of friendship from the ritualistic ceremonies of the rank of page. Brother Dwyer's excellent work was given vigorous applause.

The regular business of the convention was resumed and the report of the Committee on Princes of Syracuse was read.

Document No. 48.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Your Committee on Princes of Syracuse begs to report that during the recent year economic conditions have affected and curtailed the activity of Pythian extension among the youth of the state. Brother Bruce Parcels was forced to be inactive as the Supreme Representative from the Supreme Palace, Princes of Syracuse, and Brother A. Jacobsen was assigned as assistant to that position. There have been no new palaces instituted this year, though a large amount of correspondence and effort has been extended. There are but three Palaces in Indiana at this time and your committee, after consultation with the Grand officers, is unanimous in thinking that the future of Pythianism depends upon interesting the youth of the state in some manner or form, from which new material may be drawn into the ranks. It is equally evident from a survey that whatever interest is obtained must come through the Princes of Syracuse.

The appropriation of $200.00 was not expended this year, but $50.00 was expended by the Supreme Representative. Your committee believes that the full appropriation made this session should be used in the extension work not only of interesting certain boy leaders, but in the interesting of representative citizens of each lodge where reasonable investigation will show a Palace can be and will be maintained.

Your committee will gladly work in conjunction with the Grand Chancellor and must of necessity follow his orders. A definite plan has been submitted and if carried out will mean a direct interest in each of the lodges who are sponsoring or attempting to sponsor a Palace of the

Princes of Syracuse. The work is most interesting and the result commensurate with the amount of money and effort expended.

Fraternally submitted,

OTHNIEL HITCH, Chairman.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

The report of the Committee on Subordinate Lodge Constitution and By-Laws was read by Chairman Samuel E. Garrison.

Document No. 49.

October 6, 1930.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—The undersigned, your Committee on Subordinate Lodge Constitutions and By-laws, herewith submits the following report for the year 1929-1930.

Nine new codes have been presented during the year, all of which have been examined and action taken as noted after the names of the lodges by which they were submitted. They are as follows:

Vincennes Lodge No. 47, Vincennes, approved with corrections.
Chalmers Lodge No. 178, Chalmers, approved.
Geneva Lodge No. 514, Geneva, approved with corrections.
Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville, approved.
Elwood Lodge No. 166, Elwood, approved.
Cambridge Lodge No. 9, Cambridge City, approved with corrections.
Monami Lodge No. 222, South Whitley, approved with corrections.
Custer Lodge No. 339, Converse, approved.
Frankton Lodge No. 315, Frankton, approved with corrections.

Forty-eight certificates containing amendments to by-laws have been presented during the year, all of which have been examined and action taken as noted after the names of the lodges by which they were submitted. They are as follows:

Occidental Lodge No. 18, Terre Haute, approved.
East Chicago Lodge No. 477, East Chicago, returned to lodge for certificate and changes; never re-submitted.
Irvington Lodge No. 324, Indianapolis, approved.
Arbor Vitae Lodge No. 318, Indianapolis, approved.
Salem Lodge No. 96, Salem, approved.
Wolcott Lodge No. 409, Wolcott, approved.
Arion Lodge No. 254, Indianapolis, approved.
Mecca Lodge No. 488, Mecca, approved with correction.
Beacon Lodge No. 170, Poseyville, disapproved for want of certificate.
Salem Lodge No. 96, Salem, approved.
Hagerstown Lodge No. 198, Hagerstown, approved.
Fountaintown Lodge No. 173, Fountaintown, approved.
Capital City Lodge No. 97, Indianapolis, approved.
Irvington Lodge No. 324, Indianapolis, approved.
Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Indianapolis, approved.
Summit Lodge No. 350, Stockwell, approved.
Montpelier Lodge No. 188, Montpelier, approved.
Dearborn Lodge No. 49, Lawrenceburg, approved.
Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington, approved.
Letts Lodge No. 357, Letts, approved as corrected.
Bernice Lodge No. 120, Noblesville, approved.

Oriental Lodge No. 81, Terre Haute, approved.
Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville, approved.
Greensburg Lodge No. 148, Greensburg, returned to lodge upon its request without action.
Camden Lodge No. 332, Camden, approved.
Poland Lodge No. 364, Poland, approved.
Clifton Lodge No. 544, Indianapolis, approved.
Morning Star Lodge No. 136, Wilkinson, approved with corrections.
Ivy Lodge No. 27, Rushville, approved.
Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport, approved with corrections.
Brookville Lodge No. 76, Brookville, approved with corrections.
Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Indianapolis, approved.
Stone Crossing Lodge No. 464, Stone Crossing, approved.
Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City, approved with corrections.
Hermion Lodge No. 44, Seymour, approved.
Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay, approved.
Thorntown Lodge No. 124, Thorntown, approved.
Tocsin Lodge No. 468, Tocsin, approved with corrections.
Logan Lodge No. 95, Attica, approved.
West Indianapolis Lodge No. 244, Indianapolis, approved.
Hesperian Lodge No. 12, Franklin, approved.
Butler Lodge No. 158, Butler, approved.
Nineteenth Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis, disapproved.
Banner Lodge No. 416, Anderson, approved.
Sicilian Lodge No. 234, Pendleton, approved.
Raymond Lodge No. 481, Hymera, approved.
Eureka Lodge No. 20, Greenfield, approved.
Eden Lodge No. 99, Spencer, received October 2, 1930, and held pending, awaiting arrival of certificate of adoption.

Three lodges had submitted amendments to their by-laws prior to October 1, 1929, and the amendments were returned to the lodge for correction but never returned to your committee and no further action was taken in the matter.

Your committee would further submit that the corrections were made and the approval of your committee given upon condition that the lodge would make the corrections as recommended, and that until such corrections were made the approval of the Grand Lodge was held in abeyance, but when made and accepted by the lodge the approval of the Grand Lodge became effective. This was done to facilitate matters on behalf of the subordinate lodges and to save many days of delay which would be occasioned by forwarding the amendments back and forth for corrections.

Your committee would further submit that the form of the certificate to be used by the lodge should be changed to comply with the requirements of the Grand Lodge Statutes and submits the following as a proposed form to be used, beginning with the close of Grand Lodge:

Castle Hall of.....Lodge No. ...., Knights of Pythias
....., Indiana
(Date).....

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

This is to certify that the attached amendments to the—new code of—by-laws of.....Lodge No. ...., Knights of Pythias, were duly and regularly submitted in writing, signed by..... and .....and ..... three members of this lodge and read in full to the lodge on the..... day of....., 19...., that on the..... day of....., 19...., the Keeper of Records and Seal gave notice to the membership of the lodge by letter through the United States mails, by publication in the....., a

daily or weekly newspaper of general circulation throughout the jurisdiction of the lodge, a copy of which notice is attached hereto, that said amendments—new code—came before the lodge for final action on the .....day of....., 19....; that there were present at such meeting.....members of the lodge and the vote cast was as follows: For adoption, ...; against adoption, ...; that the sections of the by-laws as amended are attached hereto and submitted for your approval, correction or rejection.

In witness whereof, the undersigned have hereunto affixed their signatures and the seal of said lodge this.....day of....., 19.....

(SEAL) .....

Attest: Chancellor Commander.

.....

Keeper of Records and Seal.

Your committee would further call to mind that in making amendments to subordinate lodge by-laws and constitutions the same should be done by resolution and the section containing the amendments as adopted should be attached to the certificate of adoption; that a copy of the notice to members should be attached and the certificate signed by the Chancellor Commander and attested by the Keeper of Records and Seal and the seal of the lodge affixed to the certificate. Most of the delays in passing upon amendments were occasioned by failure to have the proper certificate signed by these officers and to have the seal of the lodge affixed.

Fraternally submitted,

SAMUEL E. GARRISON,
Committee.

After reading his report Chairman Garrison spoke briefly on the general subject of amending the by-laws of subordinate lodges and made numerous helpful suggestions on the subject.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

Col. Frank Shellhouse of No. 56, Indianapolis, Chief of Staff of the Indiana Brigade Uniform Rank, was recognized at this time and in well chosen words presented a basket of beautiful flowers to Grand Chancellor Loy as a token of the esteem and appreciation of the officers and members of the Uniform Rank. The Grand Chancellor was visibly affected by this demonstration of fraternal love, and with difficulty regained his composure after which he expressed his appreciation and pledged his continued loyalty to the army of the lily.

Further reports were received from the Committee on Judiciary.

Document No. 50.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 20, the same being a proposition relative to Appropriations for Orphans' Maintenance, and introduced by Charles S. Loy, G. C.,

et al., beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be passed.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

Document No. 51.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—We, your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Document No. 20, the same being a proposition relative to Appropriations for Orphans' Maintenance, and introduced by Charles S. Loy, G. C., et al., beg leave to report that we have carefully considered the same, and we recommend that the same be passed.

FRED J. RHORER,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
ALLEN MOORE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the Committee on Finance on Document No. 20 was adopted.

It was explained that this legislation would become effective only in the event the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters should adopt legislation on the subject of eligibility for admission to the Pythian Home and the payment of per capita tax thereto conforming to the legislation already adopted by the Grand Lodge.

On motion, duly seconded, the amendment was passed and Section 26 of Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes was amended as provided in Document No. 20.

Document No. 52.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 21, the same being a proposition relative to Pythian Home Applications, and introduced by Charles S. Loy, Chairman, et al., beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be passed.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted.

On motion, duly seconded, the amendment was passed and Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes was amended as provided in Document No. 21.

Document No. 53.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 22, the same being a proposition relative to the Payment of Funeral Benefits to the Pythian Home, and introduced by Charles S. Loy, Chairman, et al., beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee on Document No. 22 was adopted.

Document No. 54.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Document No. 22, the same being a proposition relative to the Payment of Funeral Benefits to the Pythian Home, and introduced by Charles S. Loy, Chairman, et al., beg leave to report that we have carefully considered the same, and we recommend that the same be passed.

FRED J. RHORER,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
ALLEN MOORE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the Committee on Finance on Document No. 22 was adopted.

It was explained that the purpose of the amendment which was submitted by the Board of Directors of the Pythian Home was to provide for the payment of a uniform funeral benefit of $75.00 to the Pythian Home at the time the member of a subordinate lodge enters the Home instead of a graduated scale from $50.00 to $100.00 at the time of the death of a resident of the Home. It was further explained that the amendment did not apply to the women and children residing at the Home. It was stated that the members of the Pythian Home Board felt the measure was reasonable and equitable to everyone concerned but that the Board was not requesting or urging passage if the members of the Grand Lodge considered the same inadvisable. No arguments were made for the amendment and virtually all the resulting discussion was in opposition to it.

The subject-matter was discussed by Grand Master of Exchequer Kammerer, Supreme Representative Lane, Supreme Representative Elmore, Deputy Grand Chancellors Willhite of No. 217, Clinton, and Kelly of No. 374, Terre Haute; Past Chancellors Metsker of No. 51, Lafayette; Mendel of No. 216, Indianapolis; Greene of No. 27, Rushville; McCollum of No. 244, Indianapolis; Risher of No. 220, Saline City; Wilmington of No. 56, Indianapolis, and Urban of No. 30, Brazil.

During the discussion the previous question was moved but the vote on this motion was lost and the discussion continued. The motion, duly seconded, to amend Section 40 of Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes as provided in Document No. 22 was put and was lost and the proposed amendment to Section 40 was not passed.

Document No. 55.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 23, the same being a proposition relative to Payments to be made by Subordinate Lodges having Members Residing in the Pythian Home, and introduced by Charles S. Loy, Chairman, et al., beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be passed.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the Committee on Judiciary on Document No. 23 was adopted.

Document No. 56.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Document No. 23, the same being a proposition relative to Payments to be Made by Subordinate Lodges Having Members Residing at the Pythian Home, and introduced by Charles S. Loy, G. C., et al., beg leave to report that we have carefully considered the same, and we recommend that the same be passed.

FRED J. RHORER,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
ALLEN MOORE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the Committee on Finance on Document No. 23 was adopted.

It was explained that the purpose of this amendment also submitted by the Board of Directors of the Pythian Home was to bring about a more equitable distribution of the cost of operating the Pythian Home between the approximately fifty lodges which are receiving a direct benefit from the Home by reason of having members residing there and the approximately 350 lodges who do not have members in the Home. The amendment would have the effect of adding to the revenue of the Home and the amount to be paid by the lodges having members at the Home would be equivalent to a disability benefit of 50 cents per week. The members of the Board took the same position during the consideration of this amendment as they did on the preceding proposition.

The amendment was placed before the convention for passage and was discussed by Grand Master of Exchequer Kam-

MRS. NELLE C. McCURRY
GRAND CHIEF
GOODLAND

MRS. DAISY DUVALL
PAST GRAND CHIEF
RICHMOND

MRS. IDA NEAL
GRAND SENIOR
AURORA

MISS MAGDALENA FRED
GRAND MISTRESS OF RECORDS
AND CORRESPONDENCE
McCORDSVILLE

TO THE PYTHIAN SISTERS
THIS PAGE IS DEDICATED IN APPRECIATION OF OUR CO-WORKERS

merer, Supreme Representative Erwin, and others. The motion, duly seconded, to amend Section 40 of Chapter A of the Grand Lodge Statutes as provided in Document No. 23 was put and was lost and the proposed amendment to Section 40 was not passed.

Past Chancellor C. E. Chapman of No. 472, West Middleton, moved that a rising vote of thanks be tendered to the Board of Directors of the Pythian Home for the able manner in which they have conducted the affairs of the Pythian Home. The motion having been duly seconded, Supreme Representative Erwin put the question, which was unanimously carried, as the members of the Grand Lodge rose to their feet.

There was a brief discussion of the cost of maintaining the Pythian Home during which Grand Chancellor Loy called attention to the report of the Pythian Home Board which showed the daily per capita cost to be $1.06 per day at the close of the fiscal year, June 30, 1930, and announced that the average cost during the three succeeding months ending September 30, 1930, was $0.86 per day.

Document No. 57.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 2, the same being those parts of the Report of the Grand Chancellor entitled Insurance Department and New Supreme Statutes, beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be approved and that the Grand Lodge give consideration to the subject matter as contained in other propositions now pending in this convention.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
EDGAR E. HITE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

The report of the special committee of fifteen appointed by the Grand Chancellor to consider Document No. 9 was read by Past Chancellor Joe Hocker of No. 166, Elwood.

Document No. 58.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Your Special Committee, to which was referred Document No. 9, the same being a special report and findings of the Grand Lodge Committee on Finance, beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration and we submit our recommendations on the subject matter in the following resolution:

Whereas, The Committee on Finance of the Grand Lodge, in a special report to the Grand Chancellor, calls forcibly to the attention of the members of this Grand Lodge and of the several subordinate lodges of this Grand Domain, numerous failures on the part of the Grand Lodge and the subordinate lodges to observe carefully the provisions of Pythian law with reference to the financial dealings of the several lodges with the Grand Lodge; and,

Whereas, Your committee recognizes that the conditions arising from such non-observance of the statutes are of grave importance to the future welfare of the Order; and,

Whereas, It is the belief of your committee that a major portion of the conditions set out in the special report are not due to intentional violation of the Statutes of the Order, but to carelessness on the part of subordinate lodge officers in failing to properly familiarize themselves with the provisions of the statutes on these subjects; and,

Whereas, It is the belief of your committee that the officers of the Grand Lodge in their efforts to show consideration to the subordinate lodges, have contributed unwittingly perhaps toward creating the present unsatisfactory conditions; and,

Whereas, Your committee feels that to require a strict technical enforcement of the statutes in this instance by requiring the lodges to pay the amounts of per capita tax as specified in the special report, would entail hardships, financial and otherwise, which the lodges are in no position to assume, especially under present economic conditions; and,

Whereas, It is the belief of the committee that the attention of the members of this Grand Lodge and of the subordinate lodges will have been drawn to these matters through the publication and consideration of this special report to such an extent that all concerned can and will immediately familiarize themselves with these provisions of law so as to remove all possbility of a recurrence of these conditions in the future. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we heartily commend the thorough and conscientious work of the Finance Committee in their audit of the records and their frank disclosure of censurable conditions. And, be it further

Resolved, That in view of all circumstances surrounding the subject matter of said special report, the amounts set out in said report of penalties for delinquencies and of per capita tax for illegal suspensions, be not charged against or collected from the subordinate lodges and that the members set out in the report as having been illegally suspended be not restored to membership, but that there be no deviation from a strict enforcement on the occasion of any and all future violations; and, be it further

Resolved, That we recommend to the Grand Lodge Convention that the Grand Lodge officers be directed to forward a copy of this resolution, together with a copy of the official notice to be sent delinquent members and copies of or detailed information concerning the statutes, the violation of which has resulted in the present situation, to the Chancellor Commander, Keeper of Records and Seal, and Master of Finance of every subordinate lodge within thirty days after the adjournment of this Grand Lodge. Fraternally submitted,

H. P. ROOT, No. 357, Chairman.
CHAS. E. ROTHROCK, No. 33, Secy.
GEO. P. KIBBE, No. 2.
C. A. WULF, No. 56.
R. C. SMITH, No. 160.
LEE M. PETER, No. 346.
ROBT. HELLER, No. 541.
DR. SIMON P. SCHERER, No. 89.
JOE HOCKER, No. 166.
W. R. HIGGINS, No. 29.
Q. N. TAGGART, No. 14.
A. C. MELSON, No. 127.
C. A. WHITTON, No. 97.
SANTE DAVIDSON, No. 13.
MILES BAXTER, No. 191.

On motion, duly seconded, the report and resolution were adopted.

Grand Chancellor Loy requested permission to withdraw the proposed new chapter C contained in Document No. 24 from consideration at this session of the Grand Lodge. He stated he wished to give the matter further consideration and that both he and the members of the Committee on Judiciary felt it was inadvisable to pass upon so important a proposition with such a short time for consideration. On motion of Chester M. DeWitt, chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, duly seconded, the request was granted and Document No. 24 was withdrawn from further consideration.

Grand Chancellor Loy announced that prizes would now be awarded to the District Deputies, to the lodges and to the individual members winning them as the result of meritorious service during the year in securing new applications and reinstatements. The awards were made as follows:

To the District Deputy whose district initiated the largest number of pages, a handsome wrist watch, awarded to Morse D. Stoker of Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville, Deputy Grand Chancellor of the twentieth district.

To the District Deputy whose district had the largest attendance at the district meeting, a handsome wrist watch, awarded to G. L. Dalrymple of Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Deputy Grand Chancellor of the tenth district.

Prizes totaling $250.00 offered at the Grand Lodge convention one year ago by President Harry Wade of the Insurance Department were awarded as follows:

To the lodge initiating the largest number of members during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930, $100.00, awarded to Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville.

To the lodge initiating the second largest number during the same period, $50.00, awarded to Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Knightstown.

To the lodge initiating the third largest number of members, $25.00, awarded to Straughn Lodge No. 331, Straughn.

To the member obtaining the largest number of applications during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930, $50.00, awarded to Roy Gilbert of Straughn Lodge No. 331, Straughn.

To the member obtaining the second largest number of applications, $25.00, awarded to Peter A. Hatfield, Star City Lodge No. 427, Star City.

Past Grand Chancellor Harry Wade was introduced and expressed his pleasure and appreciation on account of the splendid showing made by the lodges and members winning the prizes just awarded.

Brother Wade addressed the Grand Lodge, explaining in detail the action of the Supreme Lodge in creating the United Mutual Life Insurance Company, which has taken over the

insurance activities of the Order of Knights of Pythias and which is the successor to the Insurance Department.

The call of committees was resumed.

Document No. 59.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Document No. 3, the same being that portion of the report of the G. K. R. S. entitled "Our Grand Lodge Statutes," beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and we recommend that the recommendations therein contained be referred to a special committee to be composed of the Grand Lodge Committee on Judiciary, the Grand Lodge Committee on By-laws, the incoming Grand Chancellor and the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal for consideration, and report at the next session of the Grand Lodge.

ROBERT G. MILLER,
EDGAR E. HITE,
CHESTER M. DE WITT,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Document No. 60.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Document No. 30, the same being a bill for $100.00, on account of services of Committee on By-laws, and filed by Samuel E. Garrison, beg leave to report that we have carefully considered the same, and we recommend that the same be allowed.

FRED J. RHORER,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
ALLEN MOORE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted and the bill was allowed.

Document No. 61.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Documents Nos. 2 and 6, the same being that part of the report of the Grand Chancellor and Pythian Home Board, entitled Permanent Trust Fund, beg leave to report that we have carefully considered the same, and we recommend that the same be approved.

FRED J. RHORER,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
ALLEN MOORE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Document No. 62.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Document No. 6, the same being those parts of the report of the Pythian

Home Board, entitled "Allowances" and "Audit Costs," beg leave to report that we have carefully considered the same, and we recommend that the same be approved.

FRED J. RHORER,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
ALLEN MOORE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Document No. 63.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Documents Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, the same being those parts of the printed advance reports relating to Grand Lodge finance, beg leave to report that we have carefully considered the same, and we recommend that the same be approved.

FRED J. RHORER,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
ALLEN MOORE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Document No. 64.

Indianapolis, Ind., October 7, 1930.

The Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Domain of Indiana, to Frank R. McCarter, Dr.:

Oct. 6.	Special meeting Finance Committee	$10 00
	Meals	2 00
		$12 00

On motion, duly seconded, the bill was allowed and ordered paid.

Document No. 65.

Indianapolis, Ind., October 7, 1930.

The Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Domain of Indiana, to Allen Moore, Dr.:

Oct. 6.	Special meeting Finance Committee	$10 00
	Car fare and meals	3 00
		$13 00

On motion, duly seconded, the bill was allowed and ordered paid.

Document No. 66.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Be it resolved by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana, that the sum of $2,521.62 be and it is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Grand Lodge on account of expenditures made in excess of the appropriations for the following named purposes and amounts:

Mileage and per diem	$10 72
Expenses of committees	11 53
Pythian Extension	2,092 54
Telephone and telegraph	103 49
Supplies for stock	224 32
Surety bonds	79 02

FRED J. RHORER,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
ALLEN MOORE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the resolution was adopted and the several amounts were duly appropriated.

Document No. 67.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Your Committee on Finance has made a careful estimate of the receipts and expenditures for the year beginning October 1, 1930, and we recommend that the several amounts named below be and the same are hereby appropriated for the purposes indicated, the same to be paid monthly or as they become due, upon the approval of the Chairman of the Finance Committee, after itemized bills have been filed, except that fixed charges and salaries shall be payable as they become due.

Said appropriations are as follows:

1.	Mileage and per diem	$6,000 00
2.	Expenses of Trustees, Committees	100 00
3.	Pythian Extension	5,000 00
4.	Salary of Grand Chancellor	2,400 00
5.	Expenses of Grand Chancellor	1,200 00
6.	Salary of Grand Master of Exchequer	500 00
7.	Salary of G. K. R. S.	4,000 00
8.	Expenses of G. K. R. S.	600 00
9.	Clerk Hire	3,000 00
10.	Uniform Rank	500 00
11.	Office supplies, circulars, printing, stationery	1,000 00
12.	Telephone and telegraph	250 00
13.	Postage, express	800 00
14.	Office Maintenance	480 00
15.	Printing Grand Lodge Journal	900 00
16.	Supplies for stock	1,400 00
17.	Surety bond	250 00
18.	Supreme Lodge tax	4,500 00
19.	Bureau of Employment and Relief	1,500 00
20.	Pythian Journal	500 00
21.	D. O. K. K. National Convention	500 00
		$35,380 00

The appropriation to the Bureau of Employment and Relief is made on the condition that the lodges of Indianapolis shall levy, collect and pay at least the sum of $350.00 to the said bureau and the further condition that the bills paid out of said fund shall first be approved by the Grand Chancellor.

Your committee further recommends that the per capita tax for the ensuing year be $1.80, the first 90c to be paid in January, 1931, and the second 90c to be paid in July, 1931, of which 40c each term shall be for the General Fund and 50c each term shall be for the Pythian Home Fund.

FRED J. RHORER,
FRANK R. McCARTER,
ALLEN MOORE,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted and the several amounts were appropriated as specified.

Document No. 68.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on State of the Order, to which was referred Document No. 32, the same being a resolution relative to observance of the 200th anniversary of the birth of George Washington, in 1932, and introduced by Carl R. Mitchell, G. K. R. S., beg leave to report that we have given the same our careful consideration, and we recommend that the same be adopted.

W. M. NAUER,
S. C. DWYER,
H. G. BARNES,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

On motion, duly seconded, the resolution was adopted.

Document No. 69.

October 7, 1930.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Your Committee on the Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan begs leave to submit the following report:

The Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan is usually referred to as the Playground of Pythianism.

While this designation is correct, we wish to dispel the idea that the sole aim of this organization is a few moments of pleasure. The purpose of the D. O. K. K. is the upbuilding of Pythianism.

We believe in the old adage, "You should not hide your light under a bushel." Therefore, we have the flashily attired drum corps and drill teams to attract the attention of the populace.

We believe that a little fun now and then is relished by the wisest men. Therefore, we have the "SUNSHINE BOYS" to spread "Sunshine and gladness to hearts in gloom."

We believe in "FRIENDSHIP, CHARITY and BENEVOLENCE"; therefore, we have our beautiful ritualistic work built around our motto, "LIFT UP THE FALLEN."

We have visiting squads to pep up dormant lodges and furnish Page and Knight Rank teams to lodges on request. These are all local activities.

We would also call your attention to the Foundation Fund of the Imperial Palace. This fund was originally created by holding $50,000.00 from the funds of the Imperial Palace and is being constantly increased by assessment of 50c per annum on each member of the Order, now having reached the considerable sum of $120,000.00.

The income from this fund is used as a revolving fund being loaned to children of members in good standing to secure higher education, said loans to be repaid with simple interest in four annual installments beginning the first year after graduation.

Up to June 30, 1930, loans totalling $18,092.85 have been made to 64 boys and girls, of which $2,081.00 have been repaid. Since June 30th six additional applications have been granted.

We desire to call your attention to the fact that in August, 1931, the Imperial Palace meeting of the D. O. K. K. will be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, and inasmuch as the Supreme Lodge, at its session in Tampa, Florida, took action to join with the Imperial Palace in making this meeting a nation-wide Pythian affair, we earnestly recommend that this

Grand Lodge take steps to insure the participation of the Pythians of Indiana in this meeting.

Fraternally submitted,

GUY STRICKLER,
C. ROBERT MUELLER,
WM. F. QUALLS,
Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Document No. 70.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Whereas, The Imperial Palace meeting of the D. O. K. K. will be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, during the month of August, 1931; and,

Whereas, The Supreme Lodge Knights of Pythias, at its meeting in Tampa, Florida, took action to join with the Imperial Palace in making this meeting a nation-wide Pythian rally. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Indiana heartily endorses the proposed nation-wide Pythian rally. And, be it further

Resolved, That this Grand Lodge take any action necessary to insure the participation of Indiana Pythians in this meeting. And, be it further

Resolved, That the sum of $500.00 be, and it is hereby appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Executive Committee of the Grand Lodge to assist uniform bodies in attending this meeting.

GUY STRICKLER, No. 216,
C. ROBERT MUELLER, No. 35,
WM. F. QUALLS, No. 14,
Committee on D. O. K. K.

On motion, duly seconded, the resolution was adopted.

Document No. 71.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—Your Committee on Mileage and Per Diem respectfully submits its report and presents herewith a full and complete statement of the expenditures for mileage and per diem.

In accordance with the itemized statement which we have filed with the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, we have issued orders on the Grand Master of Exchequer for the aggregate amount of $7,676.96 to the Grand Lodge officers, permanent members, representatives and members of committees.

Number of days in attendance	1,240
Number of miles traveled	49,462
Total per diem paid	$3,720 00
Total mileage paid	$3,956 96
	$7,676 96

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK S. McCARTY,
CHARLES S. GREEN,
W. A. LOWER,
O. J. BUTLER,
Committee on Mileage and Per Diem.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Document No. 72.

Indianapolis, Ind., October 8, 1930.

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Indiana:

Brothers—We, your Committee on Uniform Rank, beg leave to submit the following report:

Again the cup of pleasure is to our lips, and we feel the joy of meeting our brothers at the Grand Lodge session. The members of the Uniform Rank have a delightful memory of the encampment held at Cedar Point, Ohio, August 3 to 9. The immediate shore of Lake Erie and the beautiful grounds of the resort where the camp was located made for a perfect outing. The Indiana Brigade can point with pride to the showing made by them, as the man strength from the Hoosier outfit was larger than any other Brigade, not excepting Ohio, who was our host.

We were given the opportunity of seeing Damon and Pythias put on by a company of real actors from Columbus, Ohio, and a newly formed auxiliary to the Uniform Rank at Dayton, Ohio, proved women can do floor work and give speaking parts to perfection. Our Major General, L. A. Tuggle, redeemed his pledge, and Indiana's own General Levi Hooker helped to show the other Brigades Indiana was in Pythianism as in other things, "at the front." The report would be incomplete were the officers and members of Success Company of Seymour not given credit for the showing made in both members and their appearance in the new regulation uniforms.

The committee believes the Uniform Rank has proven to be a necessary auxiliary to the Order of Knights of Pythias and who will not agree to the fact that where a strong Uniform Rank Company is located, there also is a progressive subordinate lodge. The members of the Uniform Rank have always given freely of their time and money in support of all things Pythian and should be boosted by all Pythians, not from a point of gratitude, but with the thought of where all parts are strong, then our beloved Order, as a whole, must be strong. To the young man our Order should be a great benefit, and he should be kept interested until he arrives at the place of thinking himself a necessary part of our Fraternity, and it is then he deserves to prove his love by going a bit further. There is the place the Uniform Rank is of aid as it gives the opportunity of showing to the public all one has been to the Knights of Pythias. The committee, on behalf of the Uniform Rank, wishes at this time to thank the members of this Grand Lodge for all the support received in the past, and recommend the continuation of the usual appropriation.

Fraternally,

G. M. DUVALL,
GEO. T. BARTLETT,
Committee on Uniform Rank.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Document No. 73.

Indianapolis, Ind., October 7, 1930.

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Indiana:

Brothers—The Committee on Insurance of this Grand Lodge present the following report for consideration:

At the meeting of the Supreme Lodge Knights of Pythias, held in Tampa, Florida, August 11th to 16th, 1930, action was taken by that body separating the fraternal activities from the insurance activities of the Order, and the insurance activities, by the direction of the Su-

preme Lodge, were reorganized and chartered by a special act of Congress as a mutual legal reserve life insurance company, under the name of the United Mutual Life Insurance Company.

The word "United" is only a name. It has no significance other than a name and does not mean that our Insurance Department was united with any other body of any kind.

The United Mutual Life Insurance Company is now a mutual life insurance company. There is no stock and any profits that may be accrued in the operation of the company belong to the members of the company, which means those who are already insured and those who will be in the future insured. The surplus is handled in exactly the same way as heretofore.

In the separation the Supreme Lodge demanded, and it is agreed to by the company, that every contract known as certificate now held by former members of the Insurance Department Knights of Pythias shall be carried out in every detail in accordance with the laws of the Supreme Lodge Knights of Pythias in force at the time of the separation. As a matter of course, that offensive clause, which is in all outstanding contracts, providing that a special assessment might be made at any time, is removed, and the laws governing mutual life insurance companies prohibit any special assessments.

In fact, the action of the Supreme Lodge was entirely in favor of the insured member. The Supreme Lodge had caused the issuance of life certificates and was thereby obligated to see that the contracts were fully carried out in order that the benefits promised to the member for his dependents would be paid when it matured, and that he should have the insurance at the lowest possible cost of operation. For this reason it became absolutely necessary to make this change because the members of the Insurance Department were growing old, age naturally causing an increased number of deaths.

It had reached a place where the actuaries called attention of the Board of Control to the fact that we would in the future need a very large increase in freshly insured lives of younger risks in order that the rate of mortality could be greatly decreased; otherwise all waived payments must cease, thereby increasing the cost of the insurance to those insured.

Without waiting for this condition to be reached the Board of Control presented the conditions to the Supreme Lodge, and the action referred to was taken.

Today the United Mutual Life Insurance Company has more than $115,000,000 of life insurance outstanding upon the lives of its members. It has a full legal reserve as required by law. At this time it is 112% solvent. Its assets amount to more than $24,000,000, all of which is invested in municipal bonds, except the office building it occupies, and the office equipment, which amounts to less than $350,000.

Since the year 1907 it has not only carried on its business and paid all of its death losses, but it has also paid to its insured members more than $6,500,000 in dividends (waived payments). This work will be carried on in accordance with the agreement of the Supreme Lodge, and the word of the Order, through its Supreme Lodge, given in its promises to men who became insured, will be kept.

As you all know, the soliciting for new members of the Insurance Department was confined to the members of the Supreme Lodge Knights of Pythias. The increased membership of the subordinate lodges has not been sufficient for several years to make a field large enough to secure the amount of new insurance that is absolutely necessary to properly conduct the insurance operations.

At this time it is not necessary for any man to belong to the Order Knights of Pythias to maintain his insurance, nor is it necessary for any new member of the United Mutual Life Insurance Company to belong to the Order Knights of Pythias.

We have investigated at the Home Office of the Company and we find that there has been very little correspondence from the membership regarding this matter, and that in every case where the inquiry was made the member has been told the facts, but has also been solicited to maintain his membership in the Order Knights of Pythias.

The fact that we have only been able to secure 10% of the membership of the Order in the Insurance Department is not indicative of great interest in the Insurance Department by the Order. When we stop to think that we are obliged to cover all of the United States, which has three million square miles and more than a million square miles in Canada, in order that we might even solicit members of the Order Knights of Pythias, which has at this time about 622,000 members, and when we again consider the matter and think of the little state of Rhode Island, which has only 1,250 square miles and has more people within its borders, which an old line insurance company can solicit, than we have in more than four million square miles, you can readily understand the difficulty under which our former Insurance Department labored.

Fraternally submitted,

GUSS R. MERRITT, Chm., No. 58.
CORTEZ KNIGHT, No. 103.
A. O. CRIPE, No. 335.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Carl R. Mitchell asked unanimous consent for the consideration of a resolution urging the use of Indiana products.

Document No. 74.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

A resolution relative to the use of Indiana products.

Whereas, The present period of depression has and is seriously hampering our industries and many of our people, members and non-members of the Order, are in actual distress as a result thereof. Therefore, be it

Resolved, By this Grand Lodge that all Knights of Pythias should, and are hereby urged to, in so far as may be reasonably possible, patronize Indiana industries and use Indiana products.

NATHAN J. LANE, S. R.
DORE B. ERWIN, S. R.
C. S. TINDALL, P. G. C.
H. KAMMERER, G. M. E.
DOLPH E. FARR, S. R.
HARRY WADE, P. S. R.
CHAS. S. LOY, G. C.
SAMUEL L. TRABUE, P. G. C.
CARL R. MITCHELL, G. K. R. S.

Unanimous consent was given, the resolution was read and was adopted by unanimous vote.

Document No. 75.

To the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Grand Domain of Indiana:

Brothers—I submit to you herewith the supplemental or summarized report of the office of Grand Keeper of Records and Seal in accordance with Grand Lodge Statutes from June 30, 1930, to October 8, 1930.

You have now in your hands advance reports of the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, giving an account of the business transacted in this office from June 30, 1929, to June 30, 1930.

Since the close of the books on June 30, 1930, when the membership was shown to be 46,181, reports received show that there have been initiated 78, admitted by card 19, reinstated 67, making 164 to be added, and a grand total of 46,345. Since June 30 and up to October 8, the withdrawals by card are 2, transferred none, deceased 33, suspended for failure to pay dues 85, making a total loss for the time stated 120. In accordance with these figures the total net membership as shown by the reports at this time is 46,225.

I regret to report at this time 35 lodges are delinquent as to semi-annual reports or per capita tax, or both, for the term ending June 30, 1930.

These lodges are as follows:

Danville Lodge No. 48, Danville.
Laurel Lodge No. 74, Laurel.
Garrett City Lodge No. 130, Garrett.
Centerville Lodge No. 154, Centerville.
Beacon Lodge No. 170, Poseyville.
Chevalier Lodge No. 183, Oakland City.
Sunlight Lodge No. 190, Pennville.
Milroy Lodge No. 204, Milroy.
Loogootee Lodge No. 225, Loogootee.
Uniondale Lodge No. 259, Uniondale.
Winamac Lodge No. 274, Winamac.
Indian Springs Lodge No. 292, Indian Springs.
New Ross Lodge No. 294, New Ross.
Knox Lodge No. 296, Knox.
Elrod Lodge No. 345, Elrod.
North Webster Lodge No. 367, North Webster.
Bristol Lodge No. 369, Bristol.
Artesian Lodge No. 388, Warren.
Lyons Lodge No. 389, Lyons.
Silver Shield Lodge No. 403, Muncie.
Abington Lodge No. 406, Abington.
Mt. Summit Lodge No. 429, Mt. Summit.
Williamsburg Lodge No. 459, Williamsburg.
Advance Lodge No. 480, Advance.
Kirklin Lodge No. 490, Kirklin.
Seelyville Lodge No. 491, Seelyville.
Monrovia Lodge No. 502, Monrovia.
Lewis Lodge No. 511, Lewis.
Fort Ritner Lodge No. 512, Fort Ritner.
Marling Lodge No. 524, Uniontown.
Williams Lodge No. 528, Williams.
Rosetta Lodge No. 539, Belle Union.
Spartanburg Lodge No. 552, Spartanburg.
Clear Creek Lodge No. 558, Clear Creek.
Steele Lodge No. 566, Bainbridge.

APPROPRIATIONS RECORD—1929-1930

	Amount Appropriated	Expended	Unexpended	Overdrawn
Mileage and per diem	$6,500 00	$6,510 72	.....	$10 72
Expense of Committees	100 00	111 53	.....	11 53
Pythian Extension	5,000 00	7,092 54	.....	2,092 54
Salary Grand Chancellor	2,400 00	2,400 00	.....	.....
Expense Grand Chancellor	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Salary Grand Master of Exchequer	500 00	500 00	.....	.....
Salary G. K. R. S.	4,000 00	4,000 00	.....	.....
Expense G. K. R. S.	600 00	600 00	.....	.....
Clerk Hire	4,000 00	3,907 00	$93 00	.....
Uniform Rank	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Office equipment	1,500 00	1,073 21	426 79	.....
Telephone and telegraph	300 00	403 49	.....	103 49
Postage, express	1,000 00	845 18	154 82	.....
Office maintenance	480 00	480 00	.....	.....
Printing Grand Lodge Journal	1,200 00	910 72	289 28	.....
Supplies for stock	1,500 00	1,724 32	.....	224 32
Surety bond	300 00	379 02	.....	79 02
Supreme Lodge Tax	5,000 00	4,678 20	321 80	.....
Bureau of relief	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Pythian Journal	600 00	387 17	212 83	.....
Princes of Syracuse	200 00	50 00	150 00	.....
Total	$38,880 00	$39,753 10	$1,648 52	$2,521 62

The following is a statement of the receipts and disbursements for the three months since June 30, 1930, to October 1, 1930:

Cash balance June 30, 1930	$352 63
Cash received since June 30, 1930	40,014 40
Total cash balance	$40,367 03
Disbursements since June 30, 1930	32,385 89
Balance cash on hand October 1, 1930	$7,981.14

Fraternally submitted,

CARL R. MITCHELL,
Grand Keeper of Records and Seal.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Grand Chancellor Loy described in detail the progress being made in the campaign to collect tin foil and similar products for the benefit of the Permanent Trust Fund of the Pythian Home. He presented Grand Trustee Crooker, who was instrumental in inaugurating the campaign last July. At Grand Trustee Crooker's request a great many packages of foil which had been brought to Indianapolis by various Grand Representatives were piled upon the platform and large panoramic pictures of the Pythian Home were awarded to the lodges which had sent in the largest amounts. An earnest plea was made for concerted action in continuing this campaign to the end that a large sum of money be derived from the sale of this foil for the benefit of the Pythian Home.

Grand Chancellor Loy announced the reappointment of Judge William P. Endicott of Butler Lodge No. 158, Butler, as a member of the Grand Tribunal for a term of five years.

On motion of Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Mitchell the appointment was duly confirmed.

The business of the convention having been finished Grand Chancellor Loy thanked the members of the Grand Lodge present and, through them, the officers and members of the subordinate lodges of the state for their co-operation throughout the year and their fine spirit of loyalty toward the efforts made in behalf of the advancement of the Order of Knights of Pythias. He then requested Past Grand Chancellor Trabue to install the Grand Lodge officers.

As the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal read the list these officers assembled on the platform. Installing officer Trabue, assisted by Supreme Representative Farr as Supreme Prelate, and Supreme Representative Elmore as Supreme Master-at-Arms, duly and legally installed the officers of the Grand Lodge as follows:

Grand Chancellor—
Dr. Colin V. Dunbar, Nineteenth Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis.

Grand Vice-Chancellor—
Levi Hooker, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.

Grand Prelate—
Edwin R. Thomas, Phoenix Lodge No. 101, Fort Wayne.

Grand Keeper of Records and Seal—
Carl R. Mitchell, Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville.

Grand Master of Exchequer—
Henry Kammerer, Apollo Lodge No. 62, Logansport.

Grand Master-at-Arms—
Harry C. Sullivan, Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay.

Grand Inner Guard—
Raymond R. Tash, Salem Lodge No. 96, Salem.

Grand Outer Guard—
Joe W. Todd, Hammond Lodge No. 210, Hammond.

Immediately after his installation a beautiful basket of flowers was presented to Grand Chancellor Dunbar by Past Chancellor Max Rutenberg on behalf of Nineteenth Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis, of which Grand Chancellor Dunbar is a member.

Grand Chancellor Dunbar assumed the chair and delivered his inaugural message, in which he outlined his conception of Pythianism and related his plans of organization for the year. He then read his list of appointments, which are as follows:

Committee on Finance.

C. S. Kitterman, chairman, Cambridge Lodge No. 9, Cambridge City; Charles M. Trout, Occidental Lodge No. 18, Terre Haute; Charles W. Hartpence, Nineteenth Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis.

Committee on Judiciary.

Chester M. DeWitt, chairman, Crescens Lodge No. 33, New Castle; Henry S. Bailey, Hercules Lodge No. 127, Peru; Robert G. Miller, Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington.

Committee on State of the Order.

Wm. M. Nauer, chairman, Rescue Lodge No. 26, Vernon; G. L. Dalrymple, Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Knightstown; John J. Stuehrk, Tell City Lodge No. 203, Tell City.

Committee on D. O. K. K.

W. F. Qualls, chairman, Crusade Lodge No. 14, South Bend; Joseph H. Foley, Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Indianapolis; Wm. C. Busch, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.

Committee on Credentials.

Roy L. Metsker, chairman, Lafayette Lodge No. 51, Lafayette; Nie Voght, Huntington Lodge No. 93, Huntington; Frank S. McCarty, Liberty Lodge No. 114, Liberty.

Committee on Mileage and Per Diem.

Walter V. McCullough, chairman, Pythagorean Lodge No. 118, Washington; M. D. Stoker, Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville; A. J. Berry, Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville; Max Rutenberg, Nineteenth Century Lodge No. 470, Indianapolis.

Committee on Subordinate Lodge Constitution and By-Laws.

Samuel E. Garrison, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis.

Committee on Uniform Rank.

Col. R. C. Manring, chairman, Apollo Lodge No. 62, Logansport; Major Guy M. Duvall, Richmond Lodge No. 8, Richmond; Capt. A. C. Foster, Hermion Lodge No. 44, Seymour.

Committee on Princes of Syracuse.

George Willhite, chairman, Hazel Lodge No. 217, Clinton; Rollin E. Meek, Greensburg Lodge No. 148, Greensburg; O. E. Curry, Thorntown Lodge No. 124, Thorntown.

District Deputy Grand Chancellors.

No. 1, Harvey Ott, Wolf Lake Lodge No. 397, Wolf Lake.
No. 2, Truman F. Hoffman, Argos Lodge No. 212, Argos.
No. 3, Ernest J. Will, Washington Lodge No. 94, Washington.
No. 4, Fred G. White, Hammond Lodge No. 210, Hammond.
No. 5, H. C. Constable, Goodland Lodge No. 141, Goodland.
No. 6, Charles O. Brown, Apollo Lodge No. 62, Logansport.
No. 7, Fred J. Rhorer, Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion.
No. 8, Carlisle Duell, Fort Wayne Lodge No. 116, Fort Wayne.
No. 9, H. T. Walker, Montpelier Lodge No. 188, Montpelier.
No. 10, Roy Gilbert, Straughn Lodge No. 331, Straughn.
No. 11, Edgar Stahl, Westfield Lodge No. 395, Westfield.
No. 12, Howard Doyle, Wayne Lodge No. 393, West Point.
No. 13, Hugh D. Shull, Mecca Lodge No. 488, Mecca.
No. 14, Leland Everson, Starlight Lodge No. 306, Wingate.
No. 15, Harry Moore, Arbor Vitae Lodge No. 318, Indianapolis.
No. 16, H. P. Root, Letts Lodge No. 357, Letts.
No. 17, Thomas J. Buckingham, Connersville Lodge No. 11, Connersville.
No. 18, Russell Uhlmansiek, Home Lodge No. 132, Rising Sun.
No. 19, Frank Oathout, Cortland Lodge No. 260, Cortland.
No. 20, Thomas Miller, Gosport Lodge No. 160, Gosport.
No. 21, Byron A. Hoagland, Sandborn Lodge No. 302, Sandborn.
No. 22, Harry K. Stroud, Orange Lodge No. 218, Orleans.
No. 23, Harry S. Detrow, Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville.
No. 24, W. H. Winter, Corydon Lodge No. 79, Corydon.
No. 25, J. F. Bauman, Rockport Lodge No. 107, Rockport.
No. 26, Wm. Weinert, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.
No. 27, Perry E. B. Hughes, Occidental Lodge No. 18, Terre Haute.

Special Deputies.

Thomas N. Roach, Fort Wayne Lodge No. 116, Fort Wayne.
Frank Shellhouse, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis.
John J. Stilz, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.

It was moved by Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Mitchell that the appointments announced by Grand Chancellor Dunbar

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be confirmed. The motion was duly seconded and carried, Grand Vice-Chancellor Hooker putting the question.

No further business appearing the Grand Lodge closed in due form to meet in sixty-third annual convention in the city of Indianapolis on the first Tuesday in October, 1931.

Sincerely and fraternally,

Carl R. Mitchell

Grand Keeper of Records and Seal.

In Memoriam

WILLIAM A. MORRIS, S. R.
SHIELD LODGE NO. 71, FRANKFORT
INITIATED MAY 23, 1881 DIED NOVEMBER 28, 1929
GRAND MASTER OF EXCHEQUER, 1894-1923
SUPREME REPRESENTATIVE, 1928-1929

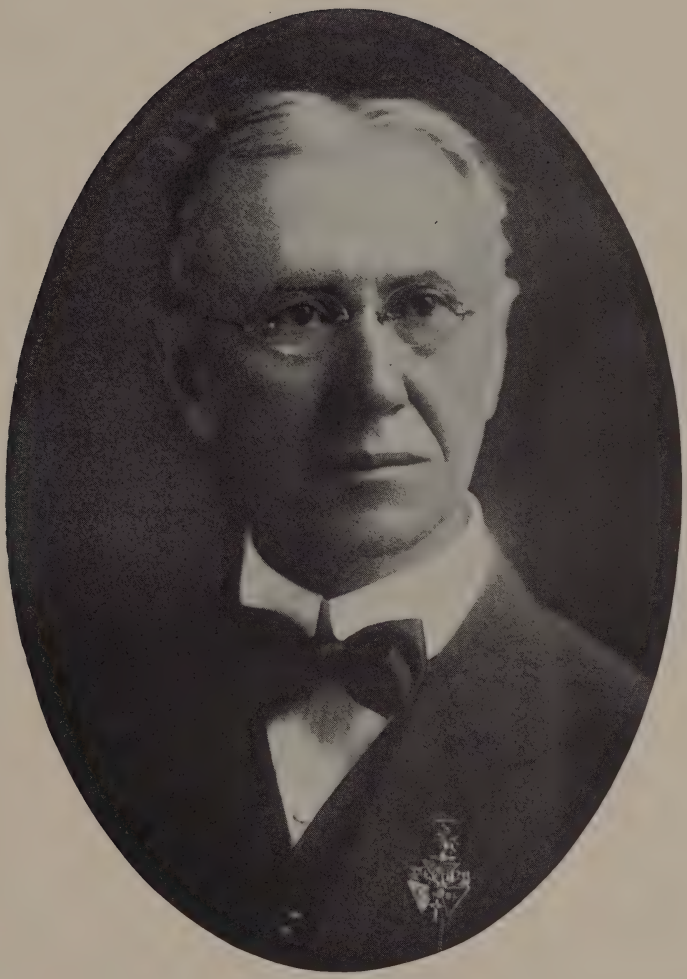
JAMES BROWN, D. G. C.
CRESCENT LODGE NO. 379, DUGGER
INITIATED FEBRUARY 10, 1921 DIED DECEMBER 5, 1929
DEPUTY GRAND CHANCELLOR 21ST DISTRICT

CASH KERN, D. G. C.
BROWNSTOWN LODGE NO. 60, BROWNSTOWN
INITIATED OCTOBER 5, 1920 DIED AUGUST 25, 1930
DEPUTY GRAND CHANCELLOR 19TH DISTRICT

DECEASED PAST CHANCELLORS.

JULY 1, 1929, to JUNE 30, 1930

Alfred F. H. Roeder, Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Indianapolis.
Wm. Rampe, Richmond Lodge No. 8, Richmond.
T. P. Keplinger, Richmond Lodge No. 8, Richmond.
John M. Wampler, Richmond Lodge No. 8, Richmond.
Frank Hartzell, Cambridge Lodge No. 9, Cambridge City.
Peter Lake, Connersville Lodge No. 11, Connersville.
Chas. Carnine, Hesperian Lodge No. 12, Franklin.
Floyd Parks, Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville.
Thos. J. Brendel, Hope Lodge No. 13, Jeffersonville.
A. C. Lindahl, Crusade Lodge No. 14, South Bend.
George Pence, Rolla Lodge No. 17, Columbus.
Harrison Smith, Occidental Lodge No. 18, Terre Haute.
Robert L. Mason, Eureka Lodge No. 20, Greenfield.
Perry E. Bear, Madison Lodge No. 21, Madison.
John T. Foster, Franklin Lodge No. 22, Bloomington.
William Claypool, Rescue Lodge No. 26, Vernon.
Geston P. Hunt, Ivy Lodge No. 27, Rushville.
S. C. Mills, Good Intent Lodge No. 29, Kokomo.
Alonzo W. Moore, Good Intent Lodge No. 29, Kokomo.
James B. Compton, Crescens Lodge No. 33, New Castle.
Geo. W. Myers, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.
John H. Litmer, Orion Lodge No. 35, Evansville.
Fred W. Morrice, Calanthe Lodge No. 41, Goshen.
Joel P. Hawks, Calanthe Lodge No. 41, Goshen.
T. A. Goodin, Fidelity Lodge No. 42, Edinburg.
J. M. Worley, Lebanon Lodge No. 45, Lebanon.
H. N. Coons, Lebanon Lodge No. 45, Lebanon.
J. R. Ball, Lebanon Lodge No. 45, Lebanon.
Mort Stephenson, Lebanon Lodge No. 45, Lebanon.
William Mills, Plainfield Lodge No. 50, Plainfield.
Isaac Johnson, Plainfield Lodge No. 50, Plainfield.
William G. Bals, Lafayette Lodge No. 51, Lafayette.
Wm. A. Lorentz, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis.



WILLIAM A. MORRIS

DECEASED PAST CHANCELLORS (Continued)

David Hambley, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis.
John Habbe, Indianapolis Lodge No. 56, Indianapolis.
Charles M. Allen, Brownstown Lodge No. 60, Brownstown.
Al. T. Young, Apollo Lodge No. 62, Logansport.
E. R. Masson, Accolade Lodge No. 63, Bloomfield.
L. W. Fryberger, Silliman Lodge No. 66, Rockville.
Wm. A. Morris, Shield Lodge No. 71, Frankfort.
George W. Shuck, Corydon Lodge No. 79, Corydon.
S. M. Stockslager, Corydon Lodge No. 79, Corydon.
C. E. McCain, Delphi Lodge No. 80, Delphi.
Emil Froeb, Oriental Lodge No. 81, Terre Haute.
L. R. McCormick, Jackson Lodge No. 83, Crothersville.
James Dismore, Jackson Lodge No. 83, Crothersville.
S. M. Guthridge, Anniversary Lodge No. 89, Martinsville.
Dewitt C. Anderson, Huntington Lodge No. 93, Huntington.
Marion B. Stults, Huntington Lodge No. 93, Huntington.
Chas. J. Robb, Washington Lodge No. 94, Michigan City.
August Liese, Capital City Lodge No. 97, Indianapolis.
Dr. S. E. Earp, Capital City Lodge No. 97, Indianapolis.
Frank L. Heal, Grant Lodge No. 103, Marion.
E. W. Hull, Crystal Lodge No. 105, Columbia City.
Robert E. McCallister, Anderson Lodge No. 106, Anderson.
Jacob Carmichael, Anderson Lodge No. 106, Anderson.
Owen R. Dickason, Vermillion Lodge No. 113, Perryville.
Frank Zuttermeister, Liberty Lodge No. 114, Liberty.
Ambrose Perkins, Liberty Lodge No. 114, Liberty.
Milton D. Mygrant, Fort Wayne Lodge No. 116, Fort Wayne.
Louis Schefman, Fort Wayne Lodge No. 116, Fort Wayne.
C. J. Burris, Pythagorean Lodge No. 118, Washington.
W. S. Gibbons, Fredonia Lodge No. 122, Rochester.
Alfred L. Goodrich, Fredonia Lodge No. 122, Rochester.
C. V. Norris, Thorntown Lodge No. 124, Thorntown.
N. N. Antrim, Hercules Lodge No. 127, Peru.
Frank Stutesman, Hercules Lodge No. 127, Peru.
W. H. Coons, Chillon Lodge No. 129, Shelbyville.
Ira Wirt, Chillon Lodge No. 129, Shelbyville.
H. L. Gibson, Home Lodge No. 132, Rising Sun.
Lamar H. Cooper, Morning Star Lodge No. 136, Wilkinson.
F. J. Ruterath, Goodland Lodge No. 141, Goodland.
Chas. D. Wellington, Goodland Lodge No. 141, Goodland.
Dr. G. M. Pell, Carbon Lodge No. 145, Carbon.
J. W. Winesburg, Olympian Lodge No. 147, North Manchester.
Roy C. Kanouse, Greensburg Lodge No. 148, Greensburg.
Tyron Anderson, Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay.
C. R. Anderson, Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay.
Nat M. Fallis, Vevay Lodge No. 149, Vevay.
William Weddell, Russiaville Lodge No. 156, Russiaville.
Jacob Eikenberry, Russiaville Lodge No. 156, Russiaville.
James M. Ramey, Butler Lodge No. 158, Butler.
R. C. Rust, Huntingburg Lodge No. 161, Huntingburg.
Frank G. Katterhenry, Huntingburg Lodge No. 161, Huntingburg.
Daniel Reutepohler, Huntingburg Lodge No. 161, Huntingburg.
Frank M. Jaques, Lakeview Lodge No. 164, Silver Lake.
Geo. A. Brush, Lakeview Lodge No. 164, Silver Lake.
Will C. Boyden, Elwood Lodge No. 166, Elwood.
Edgar A. Porter, Elwood Lodge No. 166, Elwood.
James Clendenin, Tunnelton Lodge No. 168, Tunnelton.
Arthur McCart, Paoli Lodge No. 169, Paoli.
J. A. Meredith, Charity Lodge No. 171, Riley.
Martin T. Golden, Robert Owen Lodge No. 172, New Harmony.
Chas. F. Richards, Goodwill Lodge No. 175, Cicero.
John R. Harbough, Goodwill Lodge No. 175, Cicero.
P. W. Stonebraker, Burlington Lodge No. 179, Burlington.
S. L. Van Horn, Montpelier Lodge No. 188, Montpelier.
H. C. Weaver, Montpelier Lodge No. 188, Montpelier.
C. L. Wells, Dauntless Lodge No. 194, Commiskey.
Mahlon L. Gebhart, Hagerstown Lodge No. 198, Hagerstown.
Ele C. Stansbury, Falls Lodge No. 202, Williamsport.
Charles Fricke, Tell City Lodge No. 203, Tell City.
Joseph Einsiedler, Tell City Lodge No. 203, Tell City.
Edward Nail, Kenton Lodge No. 207, Flat Rock.
H. G. Gaylord, Center Lodge No. 216, Indianapolis.
Edward Wagner, Center Lodge No. 216, Indianapolis.
E. A. Morgan, Paragon Lodge No. 219, Fairmount.
A. L. Sivits, Monami Lodge No. 222, South Whitley.

DECEASED PAST CHANCELLORS (Continued)

Elmer Roberts, Knightstown Lodge No. 226, Knightstown.
Joseph Fields, Lucullus Lodge No. 233, Bourbon.
Charles B. McKinney, Lucullus Lodge No. 233, Bourbon.
Q. A. Shaul, Sicilian Lodge No. 234, Pendleton.
John C. Courtney, Greenwood Lodge No. 238, Greenwood.
Pearl Tilson, Greenwood Lodge No. 238, Greenwood.
John H. Crull, West Indianapolis Lodge No. 244, Indianapolis.
John L. Smith, Dana Lodge No. 247, Dana.
E. C. Maxwell, Corunna Lodge No. 248, Corunna.
R. K. Yardley, Worthington Lodge No. 253, Worthington.
Owen S. Wright, Arion Lodge No. 254, Indianapolis.
Robert E. Biggs, Winslow Lodge No. 258, Winslow.
G. H. Leslie, Walkerton Lodge No. 263, Walkerton.
S. S. Cowan, Walkerton Lodge No. 263, Walkerton.
George Kemp, Montezuma Lodge No. 264, Montezuma.
A. Mock, Wyandotte Lodge No. 268, Leavenworth.
John C. Young, Tippecanoe Lodge No. 273, Battle Ground.
John Flack, Tippecanoe Lodge No. 273, Battle Ground.
Clark B. Davis, Reddington Lodge No. 281, Reddington.
E. A. Rhodes, Cedric Lodge No. 286, Chrisney.
W. W. Boland, Henry Clay Lodge No. 288, New Richmond.
Ora W. Mason, Henry Clay Lodge No. 288, New Richmond.
John F. Tinder, North Salem Lodge No. 291, North Salem.
Thomas Anderson, Sandborn Lodge No. 302, Sandborn.
J. Gardner, Westville Lodge No. 309, Westville.
James H. Galey, Russellville Lodge No. 310, Russellville.
J. Fruits, Waynetown Lodge No. 316, Waynetown.
B. F. Connelly, Irvington Lodge No. 324, Indianapolis.
E. J. Walton, Cordelia Lodge No. 329, Akron.
M. S. Howell, Clover Leaf Lodge No. 330, Greentown.
O. S. Beggs, Camden Lodge No. 332, Camden.
Gatch Wilson, Dillsboro Lodge No. 333, Dillsboro.
C. P. Rhoads, Custer Lodge No. 339, Converse.
Henry M. Isenberger, Rubicon Lodge No. 340, Michigantown.
George R. Blake, Lizton Lodge No. 342, Lizton.
John Hyman, Helmet Lodge No. 346, Young America.
J. M. McManama, Helmet Lodge No. 346, Young America.
J. O'Mullane, Diamond Lodge No. 349, Cloverdale.
Harry C. Laswell, Sunman Lodge No. 352, Sunman.
H. L. Bandalier, Maumee Lodge No. 354, New Haven.
Jesse Lowery, Maumee Lodge No. 354, New Haven.
Wm. Wickersham, Carmel Lodge No. 355, Carmel.
Dr. J. S. Leslie, Amity Lodge No. 362, Galveston.
John Bitler, Amity Lodge No. 362, Galveston.
Elza Hayden, Brownsburg Lodge No. 377, Brownsburg.
James Brown, Crescent Lodge No. 379, Dugger.
L. G. Kaufman, Redkey Lodge No. 383, Redkey.
Jacob V. Padrick, Acton Lodge No. 385, Acton.
Leonidas Thompson, Wayne Lodge No. 393, West Point.
A. H. Harold, Westfield Lodge No. 395, Westfield.
J. H. Kitt, Wolf Lake Lodge No. 397, Wolf Lake.
N. H. McNutt, Markle Lodge No. 423, Markle.
F. H. Stoner, Star City Lodge No. 427, Star City.
T. M. Puckett, Gas City Lodge No. 428, Gas City.
W. L. Brown, Morgan Lodge No. 431, Paragon.
Frank McKinney, Hetfield Lodge No. 433, Newtown.
Thomas J. Ewing, Vallonia Lodge No. 439, Vallonia.
T. T. Lewis, Metamora Lodge No. 445, Metamora.
James Bauer, Yorktown Lodge No. 448, Yorktown.
John Beard, Needham, Lodge No. 450, Needham.
L. H. Fenwick, Daleville Lodge No. 452, Daleville.
W. Helvie, Alquina Lodge No. 456, Alquina.
Grant Burkett, Rome City Lodge No. 460, Rome City.
W. F. Kerr, Rome City Lodge No. 460, Rome City.
William A. Fendley, Stones Crossing Lodge No. 464, Stones Crossing.
R. C. Peare, Bellmore Lodge No. 469, Bellmore.
Jasper McKay, Blue Ridge Lodge No. 473, Blue Ridge.
A. E. Johnson, Raymond Lodge No. 481, Hymera.
William Strahle, Raymond Lodge No. 481, Hymera.
James T. Clarkson, Morocco Lodge No. 492, Morocco.
Frank J. Lindley, Indiana Harbor Lodge No. 515, Indiana Harbor.
William Thompson, Bruceville Lodge No. 517, Bruceville.
James F. Turner, Oolitic Lodge No. 523, Oolitic.
Joseph Myers, Velpen Lodge No. 527, Velpen.
Jonah Crafton, Smithville Lodge No. 530, Smithville.

Appendix

Containing—

List of Grand Lodge Officers, Grand Tribunal, Supreme Representatives

List of Supreme Lodge Officers

List of Past Grand Chancellors

List of officers, Grand Temple Pythian Sisters

List of Officers, Shambah and Tirzah Temples, D. O. K. K.

List of Officers, Indiana Brigade Uniform Rank

Pythian Periods

Alphabetical List of Towns Where Lodges Are Located

List of Deputy Grand Chancellors with Counties in Each District

Detailed Report of Subordinate Lodge Membership for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1930

Grand Lodge Officers

RITUALISTIC

Grand Chancellor	Dr. Colin V. Dunbar	No. 470, Indianapolis
Grand Vice-Chancellor	Levi Hooker	No. 35, Evansville
Grand Prelate	Edwin R. Thomas	No. 101, Fort Wayne
Grand Keeper of R. and S.	Carl R. Mitchell	No. 89, Martinsville, Address, Indianapolis
Grand M. of E.	Henry Kammerer	No. 62, Logansport
Grand Master-at-Arms	Harry C. Sullivan	No. 149, Vevay
Grand Inner Guard	Raymond R. Tash	No. 96, Salem
Grand Outer Guard	Joe W. Todd	No. 210, Hammond

CONSTITUTIONAL

Grand Trustee, 1931	Fred E. Swaim	No. 93, Huntington
Grand Trustee, 1932	Charles A. Phelps	No. 33, New Castle
Grand Trustee, 1933	W. W. Crooker	No. 13, Jeffersonville

SUPREME REPRESENTATIVES

Dore B. Erwin	No. 65, Decatur	Dec. 31, 1931.
Nathan J. Lane	No. 114, Liberty, Address Darlington	Dec. 31, 1931.
John W. Craig	No. 148, Greensburg	Dec. 31, 1931.
Louis B. Elmore	No. 58, Remington, Address Lafayette	Dec. 31, 1933.
Dolph E. Farr	No. 42, Edinburg	Dec. 31, 1933.

GRAND TRIBUNAL

Frank E. Hutchinson	No. 45, Lebanon	Oct. 31, 1931.
George A. Williams	No. 83, Rensselaer	Oct. 31, 1932.
J. Burdette Little	No. 254, Indianapolis	Oct. 31, 1933.
Willard B. Gemmill	No. 103, Marion	Oct. 31, 1934.
William P. Endicott	No. 158, Butler	Oct. 31, 1935.

SUPREME LODGE OFFICERS

Supreme Chancellor—Leslie E. Crouch	Portland, Oregon.
Supreme Vice-Chancellor—William Grossman	New York, N. Y.
Supreme Prelate—Frederick S. Attwood	Minneapolis, Minn.
Supreme K. of R. and S.—Harry M. Love	Colfax, Wash.
Office, 1054 Security Bldg	Minneapolis, Minn.
Supreme Master of Exchequer—Richard L. Meares	Wilmington, N. C.
Supreme Master-at-Arms—William C. Black	Calgary, Alberta.
Supreme Inner Guard—Samuel R. White	Butte, Mont.
Supreme Outer Guard—John J. Reeve	Jacksonville, Ill.

DECEASED PAST GRAND CHANCELLORS

*Charles P. Carty	No. 1	by special election,	1869
*John B. Stumph	No. 6	by special election,	1870
Albert McLane	No. 7	by special election,	1870
J. H. Lozier	No. 12	by special election,	1870
George F. Meyer	No. 6	by special election,	1870
E. A. Whitcomb	No. 2	by special election,	1870
*H. C. Jones	No. 8	by special election,	1870
Reuben Robertson	No. 15	by special election,	1871
W. T. Meyers	No. 32	by special election,	1876
*John Caven	No. 1	by service as G. C.,	1871
*W. H. Hazelton	No. 7	by service as G. C.,	1872
James A. Hughes	No. 10	by service as G. C.,	1873
*Samuel P. Oyler	No. 12	by service as G. C.,	1874
*H. H. Morrison	No. 16	by service as G. C.,	1875
*Charles P. Tuley	No. 22	by service as G. C.,	1877
*D. W. LaFollette	No. 15	by service as G. C.,	1878
*Alfred Dickey	No. 39	by service as G. C.,	1879
*Arthur A. Curme	No. 8	by service as G. C.,	1880
*James R. Carnahan	No. 51	by service as G. C.,	1881
*W. H. Gillum	No. 66	by service as G. C.,	1882
E. G. Herr	No. 41	by service as G. C.,	1884
*W. L. Dunlap	No. 12	by service as G. C.,	1885
*H. H. Francis	No. 94	by service as G. C.,	1886
*Chas. E. Shively, P.S.C.	No. 9	by service as G. C.,	1887
*D. B. Shideler	No. 1	by service as G. K. R. S.,	1887
*Dr. Wm. L. Heiskell	No. 7	by service as G. C.,	1888
*John H. Russe	No. 49	by service as G. C.,	1889
Joseph C. Suit	No. 71	by service as G. C.,	1890
*Anthony C. Hawkins	No. 35	by service as G. C.,	1891
*James M. Hatfield	No. 93	by service as G. C.,	1895
*Charles F. S. Neal	No. 45	by service as G. C.,	1896
*Union B. Hunt	No. 229	by service as G. C.,	1898
Will T. Walker, by service as G. C., Domain of Kansas, 1892, Transferred to No. 56, 1899			
James E. McDonald	No. 123	by service as G. C.,	1900
*Chas. A. Bookwalter	No. 56	by service as G. C.,	1902
*George W. Powell	No. 7	by service as G. C.,	1905
*Jonce Monyhan	No. 218	by service as G. C.,	1907
*Arthur J. Lowe	No. 148	by service as G. C.,	1909
*Arla M. Brown	No. 119	by service as G. C.,	1910
John F. Petri	No. 18	by service as G. C.,	1911
*William P. Hart	No. 93	by service as G. C.,	1912
*Frank Bowers	No. 33	by service as G. K. R. S.	1912
*William A. Morris	No. 71	by service as G. M. of E.	1912
Robert A. Brown	No. 12	by service as G. C.,	1915
*F. A. Priest	No. 103	by service as G. C.,	1917
*Frank J. Heller	No. 105	by service as G. C.,	1918

LIVING PAST GRAND CHANCELLORS

James T. Darnell	No. 16, now No. 349,	by service as G. C.,	1883, Oklahoma
*E. F. Williams	No. 81	by service as G. C.,	1892, Terre Haute
*Emmet L. Siver	No. 101	by service as G. C.,	1893, Chicago, Ill.
*James E. Watson	No. 91	by service as G. C.,	1894, Washington
*Otto Kolb, No. 64, now member of No. 143,		by service as G. C.,	1897, Evansville
*John W. McCardle	No. 288	by service as G. C.,	1899, Indianapolis
Daniel E. Storms	No. 111, now No. 51,	by service as G. C.,	1901, New York
*Dr. C. A. Tindall	No. 129,	by service as G. C.,	1903, Shelbyville
*Merrill E. Wilson	No. 41	by service as G. C.,	1904, Indianapolis
*Frank J. Dunten	No. 144	by service as G. C.,	1906, Lagrange
Frank L. Gass	No. 37	by service as G. C.,	1908, Missouri
*John W. Gaither	No. 28	by service as G. C.,	1913, New Albany
*John M. Lewis	No. 44	by service as G. C.,	1914, Washington
*Harry Wade	No. 111, now No. 51,	by service as G. K. R. S.,	1913, Indianapolis
*Charles F. Remy	No. 17	by service as G. C.,	1916, Indianapolis
*Chas. L. Pulliam	No. 374	by service as G. C.,	1919, Terre Haute
*John W. Craig	No. 148	by service as G. C.,	1920, Greensburg
*Thomas L. Neal	No. 45	by service as G. C.,	1921, Indianapolis
*H. M. Thompson	No. 470	by service as G. C.,	1922, Indianapolis
William T. Denny, by service as G. C. of Nebraska, 1910, transferred to No. 84 in			1923, Union City
*Ralph W. Gaylor	No. 453	by service as G. C.,	1923, Mishawaka
*Elmer Bassett	No. 129	by service as G. C.,	1924, Shelbyville
*Dore B. Erwin	No. 65	by service as G. C.,	1925, Decatur
*Nathan J. Lane	No. 114	by service as G. C.,	1926, Darlington
*Louis B. Elmore	No. 58	by service as G. C.,	1927, Lafayette
*Dolph E. Farr	No. 42	by service as G. C.,	1928, Edinburg
Samuel L. Trabue	No. 27	by service as G. C.,	1929, Rushville
Charles S. Loy	No. 451	by service as G. C.,	1930, Swayzee

*Past Supreme Representative.

Roster of Officers

GRAND TEMPLE PYTHIAN SISTERS

Grand Chief	Nell C. McCurry	Goodland
Grand Senior	Ida Neal	Aurora
Grand Junior	Ida Penry	Auburn
Grand Manager	Ocie Jellison	South Bend
Grand M. of R. & C.	Magdalena Fred	McCordsville
Grand M. of F.	LouEtta Foster	Carmel
Grand Protector	Laura Burdge	Logansport
Grand Outer Guard	Clara Gilmour	Clinton
State Press Corres.	Lena Wasson	Flat Rock
Past Grand Chief	Daisy Duvall	Richmond
Grand Trustees	Georgia Bates	Fort Wayne
	Stella Bartle	Bloomington
	Emma Schattell	Richmond
Grand Tribunal	Maude H. Constable	Rensselaer
	Iva L. Kerwin	Fort Wayne
	Adda V. White	Kentland
Advisory Board	Carrie Klinck	Logansport
	Myrtle Billingsly	Greenwood
	Leona Burkett	Rome City
Orphans Board	Minnie H. Johnson	Indianapolis
	Luna T. King	Jamestown
	Dessie C. Hershey	Carmel
Supreme Representatives	Luna T. King	Jamestown
	Laura B. Morris	Frankfort

DRAMATIC ORDER KNIGHTS OF KHORASSAN
INDIANA TEMPLES

TIRZAH TEMPLE No. 233, Evansville

Royal Vizier	William C. Busch	Evansville
Grand Emir	George Hoelscher	Evansville
Sheik	Louis Moser	Evansville
Mahedi	Paul J. Knapp	Evansville
Secretary	Paul J. Knapp	Evansville
Treasurer	Fred W. Wedeking	Evansville
Satrap	W. B. Griffith	Evansville
Sahib	Frank Knauss	Evansville
Saruk	W. H. Byington	Evansville
Mokanna	F. A. Britt	Evansville
Trustees	C. Robert Mueller	Evansville
	Herbert E. Stocks	Evansville
	Edward G. Ritt	Evansville

SHAMBAH TEMPLE No. 139, Indianapolis

Royal Vizier	Robert E. Long	Indianapolis
Grand Emir	George P. Kibbe	Indianapolis
Sheik	Joseph H. Foley	Indianapolis
Mahedi	Dewey Sanford	Indianapolis
Secretary	Jos. M. McCollum	Indianapolis
Treasurer	Fred B. Neff	Indianapolis
Satrap	Ainsel Corn	Indianapolis
Sahib	R. L. Brown	Indianapolis
Saruk	Robert E. Long	Indianapolis
Mokanna	George P. Kibbe	Indianapolis
Trustees	Frank Foley	Indianapolis
	Chas. Orbaugh	Indianapolis
	J. A. Ballard	Indianapolis
Temple Deputy	Chas. M. McCollum	Indianapolis
Imperial Representative	Dr. U. G. Lipes	Indianapolis
District Deputy Imperial Prince	Carl R. Mitchell	Indianapolis

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INDIANA BRIGADE
UNIFORM RANK KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Gen. Levi, Hooker, Brigade Commander	Evansville
Col. Frank Shellhouse, Chief of Staff	Indianapolis
Col. James E. Thomas, Asst. Adjt. Gen.	Terre Haute
Col. Fred E. Swaim, Asst. Insp. Gen.	Huntington
Col. Paul J. Knapp, Asst. Judge Advocate General	Evansville
Col. Walter W. Peters, Brigade Mustering Officer	Rushville
Col. D. H. Wallace, Brigade Engineer	Veedersburg
Col. S. H. Saltzgaber, Brigade Signal Officer	Lafayette
Col. H. J. Ebershoff, Asst. Quartermaster General	Lafayette
Col. Edward T. Blythe, Asst. Commissary General	Delphi
Dr. Colin V. Dunbar (Col.), Asst. Surgeon Gen.	Indianapolis
Rev. Newman S. Jeffrey (Col.), Brigade Chaplain	Martinsville
Major E. J. Yeager, Aide-de-Camp	Lafayette
Major John W. Spaulding, Aide-de-Camp	Salem
Major Carl R. Mitchell, Aide-de-Camp	Indianapolis
Major Guy M. Duvall, Aide-de-Camp	Richmond
Major E. A. Hunt, Aide-de-Camp	Indianapolis
Major George A. Suess, Aide-de-Camp	Rushville

REGIMENTAL COMMANDERS

Col. W. E. Krieger, First Regiment	Indianapolis
Col. C. A. Phelps, Third Regiment	New Castle
Col. Theo P. Mathes, Fourth Regiment	New Albany
Col. Chas. L. Kiefner, Sixth Regiment	Terre Haute
Col. R. C. Manring, Eighth Regiment	Logansport

Pythian Periods

The Order of Knights of Pythias designates its age by *Period*, each year being termed a Pythian Period. The Pythian Era dates from the founding of the order—February 19, 1864. The table below will be found very convenient for ready reference, especially by those who may have occasion to *count back* in order to ascertain some desired Period, as well as being an aid to new members in designating the manner in which each Pythian Period can hereafter be ascertained.

Feb. 19, 1864 to Feb. 19, 1865	I
Feb. 19, 1865 to Feb. 19, 1866	II
Feb. 19, 1866 to Feb. 19, 1867	III
Feb. 19, 1867 to Feb. 19, 1868	IV
Feb. 19, 1868 to Feb. 19, 1869	V
Feb. 19, 1869 to Feb. 19, 1870	VI
Feb. 19, 1870 to Feb. 19, 1871	VII
Feb. 19, 1871 to Feb. 19, 1872	VIII
Feb. 19, 1872 to Feb. 19, 1873	IX
Feb. 19, 1873 to Feb. 19, 1874	X
Feb. 19, 1874 to Feb. 19, 1875	XI
Feb. 19, 1875 to Feb. 19, 1876	XII
Feb. 19, 1876 to Feb. 19, 1877	XIII
Feb. 19, 1877 to Feb. 19, 1878	XIV
Feb. 19, 1878 to Feb. 19, 1879	XV
Feb. 19, 1879 to Feb. 19, 1880	XVI
Feb. 19, 1880 to Feb. 19, 1881	XVII
Feb. 19, 1881 to Feb. 19, 1882	XVIII
Feb. 19, 1882 to Feb. 19, 1883	XIX
Feb. 19, 1883 to Feb. 19, 1884	XX
Feb. 19, 1884 to Feb. 19, 1885	XXI
Feb. 19, 1885 to Feb. 19, 1886	XXII
Feb. 19, 1886 to Feb. 19, 1887	XXIII
Feb. 19, 1887 to Feb. 19, 1888	XXIV
Feb. 19, 1888 to Feb. 19, 1889	XXV
Feb. 19, 1889 to Feb. 19, 1890	XXVI
Feb. 19, 1890 to Feb. 19, 1891	XXVII
Feb. 19, 1891 to Feb. 19, 1892	XXVIII
Feb. 19, 1892 to Feb. 19, 1893	XXIX
Feb. 19, 1893 to Feb. 19, 1894	XXX
Feb. 19, 1894 to Feb. 19, 1895	XXXI
Feb. 19, 1895 to Feb. 19, 1896	XXXII
Feb. 19, 1896 to Feb. 19, 1897	XXXIII
Feb. 19, 1897 to Feb. 19, 1898	XXXIV
Feb. 19, 1898 to Feb. 19, 1899	XXXV
Feb. 19, 1899 to Feb. 19, 1900	XXXVI
Feb. 19, 1900 to Feb. 19, 1901	XXXVII
Feb. 19, 1901 to Feb. 19, 1902	XXXVIII
Feb. 19, 1902 to Feb. 19, 1903	XXXIX
Feb. 19, 1903 to Feb. 19, 1904	XL
Feb. 19, 1904 to Feb. 19, 1905	XLI
Feb. 19, 1905 to Feb. 19, 1906	XLII
Feb. 19, 1906 to Feb. 19, 1907	XLIII
Feb. 19, 1907 to Feb. 19, 1908	XLIV
Feb. 19, 1908 to Feb. 19, 1909	XLV
Feb. 19, 1909 to Feb. 19, 1910	XLVI
Feb. 19, 1910 to Feb. 19, 1911	XLVII
Feb. 19, 1911 to Feb. 19, 1912	XLVIII
Feb. 19, 1912 to Feb. 19, 1913	XLIX
Feb. 19, 1913 to Feb. 19, 1914	L
Feb. 19, 1914 to Feb. 19, 1915	LI
Feb. 19, 1915 to Feb. 19, 1916	LII
Feb. 19, 1916 to Feb. 19, 1917	LIII
Feb. 19, 1917 to Feb. 19, 1918	LIV
Feb. 19, 1918 to Feb. 19, 1919	LV
Feb. 19, 1919 to Feb. 19, 1920	LVI
Feb. 19, 1920 to Feb. 19, 1921	LVII
Feb. 19, 1921 to Feb. 19, 1922	LVIII
Feb. 19, 1922 to Feb. 19, 1923	LIX
Feb. 19, 1923 to Feb. 19, 1924	LX
Feb. 19, 1924 to Feb. 19, 1925	LXI
Feb. 19, 1925 to Feb. 19, 1926	LXII
Feb. 19, 1926 to Feb. 19, 1927	LXIII
Feb. 19, 1927 to Feb. 19, 1928	LXIV
Feb. 19, 1928 to Feb. 19, 1929	LXV
Feb. 19, 1929 to Feb. 19, 1930	LXVI
Feb. 19, 1930 to Feb. 19, 1931	LXVII
Feb. 19, 1931 to Feb. 19, 1932	LXVIII

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF LODGES BY LOCATION.

Location.	No.	Name.	County.	District No.
Abington	406	Abington	Wayne	17
Acton	385	Acton	Marion	15
Advance	480	Advance	Boone	11
Akron	329	Cordelia	Fulton	2
Albany	378	Valentine	Delaware	9
Albion	223	Albion	Noble	1
Alexandria	335	Alexandria	Madison	10
Alfordsville	475	Alfordsville	Daviess	21
Alquina	456	Alquina	Fayette	17
Anderson	106	Anderson	Madison	10
Anderson	416	Banner	Madison	10
Andrews	308	Golden Rule	Huntington	7
Angola	206	Angola	Steuben	1
Arcadia	256	Arcadia	Hamilton	11
Argos	212	Argos	Marshall	3
Attica	95	Logan	Fountain	12
Atwood	326	Atwood	Kosciusko	2
Auburn	191	Auburn	Dekalb	1
Aurora	34	Union	Dearborn	18
Aurora	69	Harmonie	Dearborn	18
Bainbridge	566	Steele	Putnam	14
Batesville	255	Laughery Valley	Ripley	18
Battle Ground	273	Tippecanoe	Tippecanoe	12
Bedford	137	Palestine	Lawrence	22
Belle Union	539	Rosetta	Putnam	14
Bellmore	469	Bellmore	Parke	13
Bethlehem	498	Bethlehem	Clark	23
Bicknell	529	Oak Hill	Knox	21
Bloomfield	63	Accolade	Greene	21
Blooming Grove	134	Blooming Grove	Franklin	17
Bloomingdale	87	Penn	Parke	13
Bloomington	22	Franklin	Monroe	20
Bluffton	92	Bluffton	Wells	8
Boswell	283	Triangle	Benton	12
Bourbon	233	Lucullus	Marshall	3
Brazil	30	Brazil	Clay	27
Bremen	293	Garnet	Marshall	3
Bridgeton	435	Bridgeton	Parke	13
Bristol	369	Bristol	Elkhart	2
Brook	277	Brook	Newton	5
Brooklyn	243	Mt. Etna	Morgan	20
Brooksburg	461	Cleo	Jefferson	18
Brookston	289	Anchor	White	5
Brookville	76	Brookville	Franklin	17
Brownsburg	377	Brownsburg	Hendricks	15
Brownstown	60	Brownstown	Jackson	19
Bruceville	517	Bruceville	Knox	21
Buck Creek	497	Buck Creek	Tippecanoe	12
Burlington	179	Burlington	Carroll	6
Burney	341	Burney	Decatur	16
Butler	158	Butler	Dekalb	1
Cambridge City	9	Cambridge	Wayne	17
Camden	332	Camden	Carroll	6
Campbellsburg	167	Campbellsburg	Washington	23
Carbon	145	Carbon	Clay	27
Cardonia	139	Cardonia	Clay	27
Carmel	355	Carmel	Hamilton	11
Center Point	209	Center Point	Clay	27
Centerville	154	Centerville	Wayne	17
Chalmers	178	Chalmers	White	5
Charlestown	418	Jennings	Clark	23
Chesterton	442	Chesterton	Porter	4
Chesterville	77	Tidal Wave	Dearborn	18
Churubusco	375	Adelphia	Whitley	8
Chrisney	286	Cedric	Spencer	25
Cicero	175	Goodwill	Hamilton	11
Clear Creek	558	Clear Creek	Monroe	20
Clinton	217	Hazel	Vermilion	13
Clinton	553	Victor	Vermilion	13
Cloverdale	349	Diamond	Putnam	14
Coatesville	391	Coatesville	Hendricks	14
College Corner, O	252	Talawanda	Union	17
Columbia City	105	Crystal	Whitley	8
Columbus	17	Rolla	Bartholomew	19

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF LODGES BY LOCATION—Continued.

Location.	No.	Name.	County.	District No.
Commiskey	194	Dauntless	Jennings	19
Connersville	11	Connersville	Fayette	17
Converse	339	Custer	Miami	6
Cortland	260	Cortland	Jackson	19
Corunna	248	Corunna	Dekalb	1
Corydon	79	Corydon	Harrison	24
Covington	36	Tidal	Fountain	12
Cromwell	408	Cromwell	Noble	1
Crothersville	83	Jackson	Jackson	19
Culver	231	Marmont	Marshall	3
Dale	284	Dale	Spencer	25
Daleville	452	Daleville	Delaware	9
Dana	247	Dana	Vermilion	13
Danville	48	Danville	Hendricks	14
Darlington	159	Darlington	Montgomery	14
Dayton	414	Sheffield	Tippecanoe	12
Decatur	65	Kekionga	Adams	8
Decker	537	Cantaloupe	Knox	21
Delphi	80	Delphi	Carroll	6
Dillsboro	333	Dillsboro	Dearborn	18
Dugger	379	Crescent	Sullivan	21
East Chicago	477	East Chicago	Lake	4
Edinburg	42	Fidelity	Johnson	15
Elkhart	75	Elkhart	Elkhart	2
Elrod	345	Elrod	Ripley	18
Elwood	166	Elwood	Madison	10
Evansville	35	Orion	Vanderburgh	26
Fairland	425	Brandywine	Shelby	16
Fairmount	219	Paragon	Grant	7
Flat Rock	207	Kenton	Shelby	16
Flora	280	Fountain City	Carroll	6
Fontanet	174	Fontanet	Vigo	27
Forest	185	Hoosier	Clinton	11
Fort Ritner	512	Fort Ritner	Lawrence	22
Fortville	404	Fortville	Hancock	10
Fort Wayne	101	Phoenix	Allen	8
Fort Wayne	116	Fort Wayne	Allen	8
Fountaintown	173	Fountaintown	Shelby	16
Fowler	213	Prairie	Benton	12
Francesville	396	Francesville	Pulaski	5
Frankfort	71	Shield	Clinton	11
Franklin	12	Hesperian	Johnson	15
Frankton	315	Frankton	Madison	10
Fremont	261	Fremont	Steuben	1
French Lick	509	Pluto	Orange	22
Fulton	522	Aitken	Fulton	2
Galveston	362	Amity	Cass	6
Garrett	130	Garrett City	Dekalb	1
Gary	541	Gary	Lake	4
Gas City	428	Gas City	Grant	7
Geneva	514	Geneva	Adams	8
Georgetown	285	Cooper	Floyd	24
Goodland	141	Goodland	Newton	5
Goshen	41	Calanthe	Elkhart	2
Gosport	160	Gosport	Owen	20
Greensburg	148	Greensburg	Decatur	16
Greenfield	20	Eureka	Hancock	10
Greensfork	543	Greensfork	Wayne	17
Greentown	330	Clover Leaf	Howard	6
Greenwood	238	Greenwood	Johnson	15
Hagerstown	198	Hagerstown	Wayne	17
Hamilton	228	Hamilton	Steuben	1
Hammond	210	Hammond	Lake	4
Hanover	557	Hanover	Jefferson	18
Harrodsburg	23	Mystic	Monroe	20
Hebron	405	Hebron	Porter	4
Hillsboro	319	Red Stone	Fountain	12
Hope	108	Byron	Bartholomew	19
Houston	387	Houston	Jackson	19
Howe	142	Lima	Lagrange	1
Huntingburg	161	Huntingburg	Dubois	25

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Location.	No.	Name.	County.	District No.
Huntington	93	Huntington	Huntington	7
Hymera	481	Raymond	Sullivan	21
Indiana Harbor	515	Indiana Harbor	Lake	4
Indianapolis	1	Marion	Marion	15
Indianapolis	2	Olive Branch	Marion	15
Indianapolis	56	Indianapolis	Marion	15
Indianapolis	97	Capital City	Marion	15
Indianapolis	216	Center	Marion	15
Indianapolis	244	W. Indianapolis	Marion	15
Indianapolis	254	Arion	Marion	15
Indianapolis	318	Arbor Vitae	Marion	15
Indianapolis	470	19th Century	Marion	15
Indianapolis	A	James R. Carnahan	Marion	15
Indian Springs	292	Indian Springs	Martin	22
Jamestown	43	Venus	Boone	11
Jasonville	501	Jasonville	Greene	21
Jeffersonville	13	Hope	Clark	23
Jonesboro	102	Jonesboro	Grant	7
Kendallville	109	Kendallville	Noble	1
Kentland	72	Damon	Newton	4
Kingman	24	Fountain	Fountain	12
Kirklin	490	Kirklin	Clinton	11
Knightstown	226	Knightstown	Henry	10
Knightsville	186	Knightsville	Clay	27
Knox	296	Knox	Starke	3
Kokomo	29	Good Intent	Howard	6
La Crosse	551	La Crosse	Laporte	3
Ladoga	54	Ladoga	Montgomery	14
Lafayette	51	Lafayette	Tippecanoe	12
La Fontaine	211	La Fontaine	Wabash	7
La Grange	144	La Grange	LaGrange	1
Lapel	386	Lapel	Madison	10
Laporte	112	Laporte	Laporte	3
Laurel	74	Laurel	Franklin	17
Lawrenceburg	49	Dearborn	Dearborn	18
Leavenworth	268	Wyandotte	Crawford	24
Lebanon	45	Lebanon	Boone	11
Leesburg	192	St. Leon	Kosciusko	2
Leesville	434	Leesville	Lawrence	22
Letts	357	Letts	Decatur	16
Lewis	511	Lewis	Vigo	27
Liberty	114	Liberty	Union	17
Linton	193	Metropolitan	Greene	21
Lizton	342	Lizton	Hendricks	14
Logansport	62	Apollo	Cass	6
Loogootee	225	Loogootee	Martin	22
Lowell	300	Lowell	Lake	4
Lynn	119	Lynn	Randolph	9
Lyons	389	Lyons	Greene	21
McCordsville	507	McCordsville	Hancock	10
Mace	55	Mace	Montgomery	14
Madison	21	Madison	Jefferson	18
Marco	312	Marco	Greene	21
Marengo	249	Marengo	Crawford	24
Marion	103	Grant	Grant	7
Markle	423	Markle	Huntington	7
Markleville	479	Markleville	Madison	10
Marshall	133	Marshall	Parke	13
Martinsville	89	Anniversary	Morgan	20
Mecca	488	Mecca	Parke	13
Medaryville	392	Medaryville	Pulaski	5
Medora	239	Medora	Jackson	19
Metamora	445	Metamora	Franklin	17
Michigan City	94	Washington	Laporte	3
Michigantown	340	Rubicon	Clinton	11
Middlebury	311	Middlebury	Elkhart	2
Milan	152	Brooklyn	Ripley	18
Millersburg	328	Millersburg	Elkhart	2
Milltown	304	Milltown	Crawford	24
Milroy	204	Milroy	Rush	16
Mishawaka	453	Mishawaka	St. Joseph	3
Mitchell	150	Mitchell	Lawrence	22

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF LODGES BY LOCATION—Continued.

Location.	No.	Name.	County.	District No.
Monon	196	Monon	White	5
Monroeville	360	Monroeville	Allen	8
Monrovia	502	Monrovia	Morgan	20
Montezuma	264	Montezuma	Parke	13
Monticello	73	Monticello	White	5
Montmorenci	534	Shelby	Tippecanoe	12
Montpelier	188	Montpelier	Blackford	1
Mooreland	540	Blue River	Henry	9
Mooresville	189	Mooresville	Morgan	20
Morocco	492	Morocco	Newton	50
Morristown	157	Navarre	Shelby	16
Mt. Summit	429	Mt. Summit	Henry	10
Mulberry	240	Imperial	Clinton	11
Muncie	37	Welcome	Delaware	9
Muncie	403	Silver Shield	Delaware	9
Nappanee	287	Nappanee	Elkhart	2
Nashville	235	Nashville	Brown	19
Needham	450	Needham	Johnson	15
New Albany	10	Friendship	Floyd	24
New Albany	28	Rowena	Floyd	24
Newark	270	Newark	Greene	21
Newberry	381	Evergreen	Greene	21
New Castle	33	Crescens	Henry	10
New Harmony	172	Robert Owen	Posey	26
New Haven	354	Maumee	Allen	8
New Market	266	New Market	Montgomery	14
New Palestine	215	New Palestine	Hancock	10
Newport	242	Riverside	Vermilion	13
New Richmond	288	Henry Clay	Montgomery	14
New Ross	294	New Ross	Montgomery	14
Newtown	433	Hetfield	Fountain	12
Nineveh	344	Nineveh	Johnson	15
Noblesville	120	Bernice	Hamilton	11
North Manchester	147	Olympian	Wabash	7
North Terre Haute	436	Otterville	Vigo	27
North Vernon	128	North Vernon	Jennings	19
North Webster	367	North Webster	Kosciusko	2
Oakland City	183	Chevalier	Gibson	26
Odon	272	Odon	Daviess	21
Oolitic	523	Oolitic	Lawrence	22
Orestes	471	Orestes	Madison	10
Orleans	218	Orange	Orange	22
Ossian	343	Ossian	Wells	8
Otwell	420	White River	Pike	26
Oxford	187	Oxford	Benton	12
Palmyra	313	Palmyra	Harrison	24
Paoli	169	Paoli	Orange	22
Paragon	431	Morgan	Morgan	20
Parker	503	Parker	Randolph	9
Patriot	366	Purity	Switzerland	18
Pendleton	234	Sicilian	Madison	10
Pennville	190	Sunlight	Jay	9
Perrysville	113	Vermilion	Vermilion	13
Perth	465	Caseyville	Parke	13
Peru	127	Hercules	Miami	6
Petersburg	90	Spartan	Pike	26
Pierceton	245	Pierceton	Kosciusko	2
Pine Village	200	Achilles	Warren	12
Plainfield	50	Plainfield	Hendricks	14
Plainville	371	Plainville	Daviess	21
Plymouth	117	Hyperion	Marshall	3
Poland	364	Poland	Clay	27
Portland	88	Red Cross	Jay	9
Poseyville	170	Beacon	Posey	26
Reddington	281	Reddington	Jackson	19
Redkey	383	Redkey	Jay	9
Remington	58	Remington	Jasper	5
Rensselaer	82	Rensselaer	Jasper	5
Reynolds	454	Reynolds	White	5
Richland	265	Oak Leaf	Spencer	25
Richmond	8	Richmond	Wayne	17
Riley	171	Charity	Vigo	27
Rising Sun	132	Home	Ohio	18

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Location.	No.	Name.	County.	District No.
Rochester	122	Fredonia	Fulton	2
Rockport	107	Rockport	Spencer	25
Rockport	181	Lake Mills	Spencer	25
Rockville	66	Silliman	Parke	13
Roll	347	Roll	Blackford	9
Rome City	460	Rome City	Noble	1
Rosedale	224	Rosedale	Parke	13
Rossville	278	Rossville	Clinton	11
Royal Centre	462	Elite	Cass	6
Rushville	27	Ivy	Rush	16
Russellville	310	Russellville	Putnam	14
Russiaville	156	Russiaville	Howard	6
Salem	96	Salem	Washington	23
Saline City	220	Saline City	Clay	27
Saltillo	282	Saltillo	Washington	23
Sandborn	302	Sandborn	Knox	21
San Jacinto	356	Graham Valley	Jennings	19
Scipio	363	Scipio	Jennings	19
Scottsburg	59	Scott	Scott	23
Sedalia	555	Sedalia	Clinton	11
Seelyville	491	Seelyville	Vigo	27
Sellersburg	417	Sellersburg	Clark	23
Seymour	44	Hermion	Jackson	19
Shannondale	279	Shannondale	Montgomery	14
Shelbyville	129	Chillon	Shelby	16
Shoals	221	Shoals	Martin	22
Silver Lake	164	Lakeview	Kosciusko	2
Smithville	530	Smithville	Monroe	20
South Bend	14	Crusade	St. Joseph	3
South Whitley	222	Monami	Whitley	8
Spartanburg	552	Spartanburg	Randolph	9
Spencer	99	Eden	Owen	20
Spencerville	321	Spencerville	Dekalb	1
Spiceland	163	Spiceland	Henry	10
Stanford	525	Stanford	Monroe	20
Star City	427	Star City	Pulaski	6
Staunton	506	Staunton	Clay	27
St. Bernice	533	St. Bernice	Vermilion	13
Stinesville	337	Stinesville	Monroe	20
St. Joe	400	St. Joe	Dekalb	1
Stockwell	350	Summit	Tippecanoe	12
Stones Crossing	464	Stones Crossing	Johnson	15
St. Paul	368	St. Paul	Decatur	16
Straughn	331	Straughn	Henry	10
Sullivan	85	Sullivan	Sullivan	21
Sulphur Hill	241	Sulphur Hill	Shelby	16
Summitville	361	Gas Belt	Madison	10
Sunman	352	Sunman	Ripley	18
Swayzee	451	Swayzee	Grant	7
Syracuse	230	Kosciusko	Kosciusko	2
Tangier	399	Philemon	Parke	13
Tell City	203	Tell City	Perry	25
Terre Haute	18	Occidental	Vigo	27
Terre Haute	81	Oriental	Vigo	27
Terre Haute	374	Paul Revere	Vigo	27
Thorntown	124	Thorntown	Boone	11
Tipton	151	Tipton	Tipton	11
Tocsin	468	Tocsin	Wells	8
Trafalgar	437	Johnson	Johnson	15
Tunnelton	168	Tunnelton	Lawrence	22
Uniondale	259	Uniondale	Wells	8
Uniontown	524	Marling	Jackson	19
Vallonia	439	Vallonia	Jackson	19
Van Buren	496	Van Buren	Grant	7
Veedersburg	246	Spring Hill	Fountain	12
Velpen	527	Athenian	Pike	26
Vernon	26	Rescue	Jennings	19
Versailles	269	Versailles	Ripley	18
Vevay	149	Vevay	Switzerland	18
Vincennes	47	Vincennes	Knox	21
Wabash	140	Wabash	Wabash	7
Walkerton	263	Walkerton	St. Joseph	3

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF LODGES BY LOCATION—Continued.

Location.	No.	Name.	County.	District No.
Warren	388	Artesian	Huntington	7
Warsaw	46	Forrest	Kosciusko	2
Washington	118	Pythagorean	Daviess	21
Waterloo	205	Leonidas	Dekalb	1
Waveland	232	Rathbone	Montgomery	14
Wawaka	432	Wawaka	Noble	1
Waynetown	316	Waynetown	Montgomery	14
Westfield	395	Westfield	Hamilton	11
West Lebanon	214	Warren	Warren	12
West Middleton	472	Mayflower	Howard	6
West Point	393	Wayne	Tippecanoe	12
Westport	317	Westport	Decatur	16
West Terre Haute	521	West Terre Haute	Vigo	27
Westville	309	Westville	Laporte	3
Wheatfield	353	Wheatfield	Jasper	5
Whiting	348	Whiting	Lake	4
Wilkinson	136	Morning Star	Hancock	10
Williams	528	Williams	Lawrence	22
Williamsburg	459	Williamsburg	Wayne	17
Williamsport	202	Falls	Warren	12
Winamac	274	Winamac	Pulaski	6
Winchester	91	Winchester	Randolph	9
Wingate	306	Starlight	Montgomery	14
Winslow	258	Winslow	Pike	26
Wolcott	409	Wolcott	White	5
Wolf Lake	397	Wolf Lake	Noble	1
Worthington	253	Worthington	Greene	21
Yorktown	448	Yorktown	Delaware	9
Young America	346	Helmet	Cass	6
Zionsville	251	Zionsville	Boone	11

LIST OF DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND CHANCELLORS WITH COUNTIES IN EACH DISTRICT

First District—Dekalb, Lagrange, Noble and Steuben counties. District Deputy, Harvey T. Ott, R. R. 1, Albion.

Second District—Fulton, Marshall, Starke and Kosciusko counties. District Deputy, Truman F. Hoffman, Argos.

Third District—Laporte, St. Joseph and Elkhart counties. District Deputy, Ernest J. Will, Michigan City.

Fourth District—Lake and Porter counties. District Deputy, Fred G. White, 516 Lewis St., Hammond.

Fifth District—Newton, Jasper, Pulaski and White counties. District Deputy, H. C. Constable, Rensselaer.

Sixth District—Carroll, Cass, Miami and Howard counties. District Deputy, Charles O. Brown, Logansport.

Seventh District—Wabash, Huntington and Grant counties. District Deputy, Fred J. Rhorer, Marion.

Eighth District—Wells, Adams, Whitley and Allen counties. District Deputy, Carlisle Duell, 1434 Drexel Blvd., Fort Wayne.

Ninth District—Blackford, Delaware, Jay and Randolph counties. District Deputy, H. T. Walker, Montpelier.

Tenth District—Madison, Henry and Hancock counties. District Deputy, Roy Gilbert, Straughn.

Eleventh District—Clinton, Boone, Tipton and Hamilton counties. District Deputy, Edgar Stahl, Westfield.

Twelfth District—Benton, Warren, Fountain and Tippecanoe counties. District Deputy, Howard Doyle, West Point.

Thirteenth District—Park and Vermillion counties. District Deputy, Hugh D. Shull, Mecca.

Fourteenth District—Putnam, Hendricks and Montgomery counties. District Deputy, Leland Everson, Darlington.

Fifteenth District—Johnson and Marion counties. District Deputy, Harry Moore, 2446 N. Gale St., Indianapolis.

Sixteenth District—Shelby, Rush and Decatur counties. District Deputy, H. P. Root, Letts.

Seventeenth District—Wayne, Fayette, Union and Franklin counties. District Deputy, T. J. Buckingham, Connersville, R. R.

Eighteenth District—Jefferson, Switzerland, Ohio, Dearborn and Ripley counties. District Deputy, Russell Uhlmansiek, Rising Sun.

Nineteenth District—Brown, Bartholomew, Jackson and Jennings counties. District Deputy, Frank Oathout, Seymour, R. R. 6.

Twentieth District—Owen, Morgan and Monroe counties. District Deputy, Thomas Miller, Gosport.

Twenty-first District—Daviess, Greene, Knox and Sullivan counties. District Deputy, Byron A. Hoagland, Sandborn.

Twenty-second District—Martin, Lawrence and Orange counties. District Deputy, Harry K. Stroud, Orleans.

Twenty-third District—Washington, Scott and Clark counties. District Deputy, Harry S. Detrow, Jeffersonville.

Twenty-fourth District—Crawford, Harrison and Floyd counties. District Deputy, W. H. Winter, Corydon.

Twenty-fifth District—Dubois, Perry and Spencer counties. District Deputy, J. F. Bauman, Rockport.

Twenty-sixth District—Gibson, Pike, Posey, Vanderburg and Warrick counties. District Deputy, Wm. Weinert, 617 E. Columbia St., Evansville.

Twenty-seventh District—Clay and Vigo counties. District Deputy, Perry E. B. Hughes, 1827 College Ave., Terre Haute.

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Lodge	Number	Location	County	Instituted	Membership Last Report	Gains				Losses						Actual Membership	Membership by Rank							
						Initiated	Admitted by Card	Reinstated	TOTAL	Withdrawn by Card	Transferred by Card	Deceased	Suspended for Offense	Expelled for Offense	Suspended for Failure to Pay Dues		Past Grand Chancellors	Past Chancellors	Knights	Esquires	Pages	TOTAL	Gains	Losses
Marion	1	Indianapolis	Marion	July 12, 1869	158	1		3	162			7			9	146		24	122			146		12
Olive Branch	2	Indianapolis	Marion	July 12, 1869	265	4	3	1	273	2		7			28	236		33	203			236		29
Richmond	8	Richmond	Wayne	Apr. 12, 1870	181				181			11			14	156		30	126			156		25
Cambridge	9	Camb'ge City	Wayne	Sept. 7, 1870	133				133		1	4			6	122		31	91			122		11
Friendship	10	New Albany	Floyd	Sept. 7, 1870	107				107			4				103		73	30			103		4
Connersville	11	Connersville	Fayette	Nov. 11, 1870	432	1		1	434	1		11			12	410		86	324			410		22
Hesperian	12	Franklin	Johnson	Nov. 23, 1870	276	2			278	1		14			13	250		45	205			250		26
Hope	13	Jeffersonville	Clark	July 7, 1871	278	9		4	291			4			25	262		64	197	1		262		16
Crusade	14	South Bend	St. Joseph	Aug 24, 1871	1,077	23	14	10	1,124	13	1	17			66	1,027		56	966		5	1,027		50
Rolla	17	Columbus	Bartholomew	Dec. 22, 1871	148				148			8				140	1	29	110			140		8
Occidental	18	Terre Haute	Vigo	Jan. 18, 1872	258	17	1	3	279	7		8			22	242		100	142			242		16
Eureka	20	Greenfield	Hancock	Feb. 29, 1872	305		1		306			1			9	296		66	230			296		9
Madison	21	Madison	Jefferson	May 1, 1872	344	1			345			3			7	335		56	279			335		9
Franklin	22	Bloomington	Monroe	May 17, 1872	367	44	1	13	425	1		5				419		76	327	11	5	419	52	
Mystic	23	Harrodsburg	Monroe	June 27, 1872	87				87	10		1				76		25	51			76		11
Fountain	24	Kingman	Fountain	July 10, 1872	64			2	66			2			1	63		22	41			63		1
Rescue	26	Vernon	Jennings	Dec. 24, 1872	56	8		1	65			1				64		28	36			64	8	
Ivy	27	Rushville	Rush	Mar. 4, 1873	397	26			423	1	1	8			12	401	1	48	339	11	2	401	4	
Rowena	28	New Albany	Floyd	Apr. 25, 1873	140				140	7		7			11	115	1	28	86			115		25
Good Intent	29	Kokomo	Howard	Aug. 15, 1873	347	3	3	5	358	1	1	9			24	323		54	268		1	323		24
Brazil	30	Brazil	Clay	May 9, 1873	95			1	96						17	79		20	59			79		16
Crescens	33	New Castle	Henry	May 28, 1873	555	29	3	12	599	1		15			3	580		68	509	2	1	580	25	
Union	34	Aurora	Dearborn	June 4, 1873	7				7							7		7				7		
Orion	35	Evansville	Vanderburgh	June 11, 1873	214	15	196	4	429	2		7		1	6	413	1	89	320	2	1	413	199	
Tidal	36	Covington	Fountain	Aug. 18, 1873	151	9			160	1		8			8	143		42	99		2	143		8
Welcome	37	Muncie	Delaware	Aug. 14, 1873	410	20	5	5	440		1	8			5	426	1	50	372	1	2	426	16	

Calanthe	41	Goshen	Elkhart	Nov. 4, 1873	191			8	199	2	1	4			100	92	1	32	59			92		99
Fidelity	42	Edinburg	Johnson	Jan. 12, 1874	171	4	61	7	243	1		6			17	219	1	58	160			219	48	
Venus	43	Jamestown	Boone	Feb. 27, 1874	128				128			3			3	122		26	96			122		6
Hermion	44	Seymour	Jackson	Apr. 2, 1874	288	3	1	1	293	4		5			13	271	1	56	214			271		17
Lebanon	45	Lebanon	Boone	Apr. 16, 1874	181	3	2		186	1		7			6	172	1	42	129			172		9
Forrest	46	Warsaw	Kosciusko	May 22, 1874	83			1	84		1	3			16	64		9	55			64		19
Dioscuri	47	Vincennes	Knox	June 4, 1874	139				139	1		2			11	125		37	88			125		14
Danville	48	Danville	Hendricks	June 12, 1874	114				114	1					5	108		40	68			108		6
Dearborn	49	Lawrenceburg	Dearborn	July 2, 1874	225	6			231			5				226		46	180			226	1	
Plainfield	50	Plainfield	Hendricks	July 16, 1874	120				120			4			8	108		24	84			108		12
Lafayette	51	Lafayette	Tippecanoe	Aug. 6, 1874	403	7	1	4	415			3			13	399	2	87	307		3	399		4
Ladoga	54	Ladoga	Montgomery	Sept. 22, 1874	57				57			1				56		27	29			56		1
Mace	55	Mace	Montgomery	Oct. 16, 1874	110		1	2	113		1				19	93		69	24			93		17
Indianapolis	56	Indianapolis	Marion	Dec. 17, 1874	543	8	5	2	558	1		23			24	510		81	429			510		33
Remington	58	Remington	Jasper	Feb. 18, 1875	182	3		5	190		1	3			37	149	1	33	114	1		149		33
Scott	59	Scottsburg	Scott	Mar. 19, 1875	51	2		19	72			2			13	57		20	37			57	6	
Brownstown	60	Brownstown	Jackson	Mar. 30, 1875	165	6		1	172	6		1			14	151		34	117			151		14
Apollo	62	Logansport	Cass	June 30, 1875	567	4		4	575	13	1	5			19	537		67	469	1		537		30
Accolade	63	Bloomfield	Greene	July 14, 1875	83				83			4			1	78		46	32			78		5
Kekionga	65	Decatur	Adams	Aug. 20, 1875	248		1		249	3	2	4			16	224	1	51	172			224		24
Silliman	66	Rockville	Parke	Sept. 8, 1875	91				91			3			8	80		24	56			80		11
Harmonie	69	Aurora	Dearborn	Mar. 15, 1876	204				204	1		7			4	192		43	149			192		12
Shield	71	Frankfort	Clinton	Sept. 8, 1876	308	6	5	7	326	6		8			15	297		68	229			297		11
Damon	72	Kentland	Newton	Nov. 9, 1876	77	1			78					1	6	71		25	46			71		6
Monticello	73	Monticello	White	Feb. 1, 1877	126				126						31	95		30	65			95		31
Laurel	74	Laurel	Franklin	Apr. 11, 1877	38				38						1	37		17	20			37		1
Elkhart	75	Elkhart	Elkhart	June 11, 1877	149	7	4	7	167	2	1				44	120		31	89			120		29
Brookville	76	Brookville	Franklin	July 16, 1877	155				155			3			8	144		64	80			144		11
Tidal Wave	77	Chesterville	Dearborn	July 12, 1877	69				69							69		25	44			69		
Corydon	79	Corydon	Harrison	Jan. 31, 1878	268	7	1	1	277	1		5			2	269		35	234			269	1	
Delphi	80	Delphi	Carroll	Apr. 8, 1878	168	7			175			3			21	151		40	111			151		17
Oriental	81	Terre Haute	Vigo	May 30, 1878	231	1		1	233	5		7			15	206	1	44	161			206		25
Rensselaer	82	Rensselaer	Jasper	June 13, 1878	174	2	3	1	180	2		1			12	165		46	119			165		9
Jackson	83	Crothersville	Jackson	Apr. 30, 1879	47				47			2			4	41		19	22			41		6
Invincible	84	Union City	Randolph	June 4, 1879	112				112							112	1	40	71			112		
Sullivan	85	Sullivan	Sullivan	June 5, 1879	92				92			4			21	67		19	48			67		25
Penn	87	Bloomingdale	Parke	Dec. 12, 1879	20				20							20		11	9			20		
Red Cross	88	Portland	Jay	Feb. 19, 1880	176	16			192	1		4			10	177		47	122	2	6	177	1	
Anniversary	89	Martinsville	Morgan	Feb. 19, 1880	236	95	11	39	381			5				376		48	307	13	8	376	140	
Spartan	90	Petersburg	Pike	Apr. 20, 1880	100				100			1			7	92		43	49			92		8
Winchester	91	Winchester	Randolph	Apr. 13, 1880	201	6	1		208			1			10	197	1	52	142	1	1	197		4
Bluffton	92	Bluffton	Wells	Feb. 16, 1881	309		1		310	5	1	3			31	270		40	230			270		39
Huntington	93	Huntington	Huntington	Apr. 20, 1881	127	2	1	4	134	1		6			15	112		23	89			112		15
Washington	94	Michigan City	Laporte	Mar. 17, 1881	181	35	6		222	1		1			10	210		39	168	2	1	210	29	

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Logan	95	Attica	Fountain	July 1, 1881	115	4	1	....	120	....	....	2	....	....	9	109	....	29	80	....	....	109	....	6
Salem	96	Salem	Washington	Aug. 9, 1881	405	17	....	....	422	....	....	4	....	....	18	400	....	60	340	....	....	400	....	5
Capital City	97	Indianapolis	Marion	Dec. 15, 1881	366	7	79	10	462	1	4	9	....	....	27	421	....	83	338	....	....	421	55	....
Eden	99	Spencer	Owen	Feb. 1, 1882	173	7	3	4	187	1	....	2	....	....	8	176	....	30	145	....	1	176	3	....
Phoenix	101	Fort Wayne	Allen	Apr. 1, 1882	302	5	1	2	310	2	1	9	....	....	56	242	1	48	193	....	....	242	....	60
Jonesboro	102	Jonesboro	Grant	June 22, 1882	116	2	1	1	120	....	1	1	....	....	3	115	....	41	74	....	....	115	....	1
Grant	103	Marion	Grant	July 20, 1882	615	24	3	9	651	1	1	9	....	....	72	568	....	51	513	3	1	568	....	47
Crystal	105	Columbia City	Whitley	Oct. 17, 1882	138	....	....	....	138	2	1	2	....	....	....	133	....	33	100	....	....	133	....	5
Anderson	106	Anderson	Madison	Jan. 16, 1883	85	....	....	....	85	....	....	5	....	....	9	71	....	20	51	....	....	71	....	14
Rockport	107	Rockport	Spencer	May 21, 1883	54	2	....	....	56	....	....	2	....	....	2	52	....	24	28	....	....	52	....	2
Byron	108	Hope	Bartholomew	May 24, 1883	61	....	....	....	61	3	....	1	....	....	9	48	....	15	33	....	....	48	....	13
Kendallville	109	Kendallville	Noble	July 24, 1883	115	1	....	....	116	....	....	1	....	....	....	115	....	45	70	....	....	115	....	....
Laporte	112	Laporte	Laporte	Nov. 23, 1883	180	25	2	3	210	....	....	1	....	....	15	194	....	37	157	....	....	194	14	....
Vermillion	113	Perryville	Vermillion	Dec. 31, 1883	81	....	....	1	82	....	....	4	....	....	15	63	....	40	23	....	....	63	....	18
Liberty	114	Liberty	Union	Jan. 1, 1884	192	1	....	....	193	1	1	5	....	....	13	173	1	42	130	....	....	173	....	19
Fort Wayne	116	Fort Wayne	Allen	Apr. 25, 1884	315	18	4	6	343	2	....	5	....	....	18	318	....	54	259	3	2	318	3	....
Hyperion	117	Plymouth	Marshall	May 13, 1884	100	....	....	2	102	2	....	....	....	....	....	100	....	21	79	....	....	100	....	....
Pythagorean	118	Washington	Daviess	May 20, 1884	273	4	....	....	277	2	....	3	....	....	27	245	....	40	205	....	....	245	....	28
Lynn	119	Lynn	Randolph	May 23, 1884	119	....	....	2	121	2	1	4	....	....	20	94	....	34	60	....	....	94	....	25
Bernice	120	Noblesville	Hamilton	June 23, 1884	381	....	....	....	381	....	....	6	....	....	28	347	....	45	302	....	....	347	....	34
Fredonia	122	Rochester	Fulton	July 3, 1884	363	4	....	....	367	....	1	7	....	....	....	359	....	53	305	1	....	359	....	4
Thorntown	124	Thorntown	Boone	Apr. 27, 1885	155	12	....	2	169	1	....	6	....	....	9	153	....	39	114	....	....	153	....	2
Hercules	127	Peru	Miami	Aug. 14, 1885	262	9	7	....	278	2	1	8	....	....	6	261	....	49	211	1	....	261	....	1
North Vernon	128	North Vernon	Jennings	Sept. 9, 1885	146	3	....	1	150	....	....	2	....	....	....	148	....	31	117	....	....	148	2	....
Chillon	129	Shelbyville	Shelby	Sept. 23, 1885	493	1	27	....	521	7	....	9	....	....	37	468	2	75	391	....	....	468	....	25
Garrett City	130	Garrett	Dekalb	Nov. 4, 1885	55	....	....	....	55	....	....	....	....	....	23	32	....	12	20	....	....	32	....	23

Home	132	Rising Sun	Ohio	Jan. 1, 1886	77	5		1	83	1		1			1	80		23	57			80	3	
Marshall	133	Marshall	Parke	Jan. 14, 1886	10				10							10		4	6			10		
Blooming Grove	134	Bloom'g Grove	Franklin	Jan. 21, 1886	55	1			56						4	52		35	17			52		3
Morning Star	136	Wilkinson	Hancock	Feb. 16, 1886	200	5		5	210			5			28	177		38	139			177		23
Palestine	137	Bedford	Lawrence	Mar. 31, 1886	160	6		1	167			3				164		23	140	1		164	4	
Cardonia	139	Cardonia	Clay	May 31, 1886	49				49						10	39		18	21			39		10
Wabash	140	Wabash	Wabash	May 27, 1886	159	12	3	16	190	3		4			50	133		25	105		3	133		26
Goodland	141	Goodland	Newton	June 8, 1886	124	4	1		129	1	2	3				123		25	98			123		1
Lima	142	Howe	Lagrange	July 1, 1886	147				147	2	1	1			28	115		25	90			115		32
St. George	143	Evansville	Vanderburgh	July 12, 1886	196			2	198	193		1			4									196
Lagrange	144	Lagrange	Lagrange	July 26, 1886	195	1		1	197	1		2			10	184	1	45	137		1	184		11
Carbon	145	Carbon	Clay	July 29, 1886	41			1	42			3			6	33		16	17			33		8
Olympian	147	N. Manchester	Wabash	Aug. 11, 1886	159	3	1	5	168	5		2			58	103		40	63			103		56
Greensburg	148	Greensburg	Decatur	Aug. 24, 1886	560	33	43	2	638			13			5	620	1	74	545			620	60	
Vevay	149	Vevay	Switzerland	Sept. 20, 1886	230	12	4		246	1		3			6	236		46	190			236	6	
Mitchell	150	Mitchell	Lawrence	Sept. 24, 1886	73	4	1		78	1						77		13	64			77	4	
Tipton	151	Tipton	Tipton	Sept. 22, 1886	56				56						8	48		15	33			48		8
Brooklyn	152	Milan	Ripley	Oct. 5, 1886	19				19						3	16		12	4			16		3
Centerville	154	Centerville	Wayne	Oct. 14, 1886	79	6			85							85		25	60			85	6	
Russiaville	156	Russiaville	Howard	Oct. 26, 1886	30				30			3			3	24		19	5			24		6
Navarre	157	Morristown	Shelby	Nov. 8, 1886	63				63			2			17	44		12	32			44		19
Butler	158	Butler	Dekalb	Dec. 2, 1886	281				281			1			22	258		45	213			258		23
Darlington	159	Darlington	Montgomery	Dec. 28, 1886	104	3	1		108						23	85		25	60			85		19
Gosport	160	Gosport	Owen	Dec. 28, 1886	65				65							65		25	40			65		
Huntingburg	161	Huntingburg	Dubois	Feb. 8, 1887	89	5		1	95	1		7			5	82		31	51			82		7
Hartsville	162	Hartsville	Bartholomew	Jan. 12, 1887	43				43	43														43
Spiceland	163	Spiceland	Henry	Jan. 12, 1887	93				93			1			11	81		20	61			81		12
Lakeview	164	Silver Lake	Kosciusko	Feb. 21, 1887	86				86			2				84		31	53			84		2
Elwood	166	Elwood	Madison	Mar. 31, 1887	234	11	1	3	249			7			21	221		35	186			221		13
Campbellsburg	167	Campbellsburg	Washington	Apr. 21, 1887	72			1	73	3		1			9	60		20	40			60		12
Tunnelton	168	Tunnelton	Lawrence	May 5, 1887	83				83			1			17	65		23	42			65		18
Paoli	169	Paoli	Orange	June 3, 1887	26			3	29	1		1				27		14	13			27	1	
Beacon	170	Poseyville	Posey	June 14, 1887	42				42						2	40		15	25			40		2
Charity	171	Riley	Vigo	June 22, 1887	71			2	73			1			9	63		32	31			63		8
Robert Owen	172	New Harmony	Posey	Aug. 18 1887	57	1	1		59			2			2	55		24	30	1		55		2
Fountain	173	Fountaintown	Shelby	Aug. 23, 1887	93				93		2	1			35	55		20	35			55		38
Fontanet	174	Fontanet	Vigo	Oct. 5, 1887	43				43		1				3	39		15	24			39		4
Goodwill	175	Cicero	Hamilton	Oct. 6, 1887	114	1	1		116			5			7	104		34	70			104		10
Chalmers	178	Chalmers	White	Jan. 5, 1888	122	5			127			4			6	117		43	73		1	117		5
Burlington	179	Burlington	Carroll	Jan. 16, 1888	102				102			2			13	87		29	58			87		15
Corypheus	180	Cynthiana	Posey	Feb. 8, 1888	14				14	14														14
Lake Mill	181	Rockport	Spencer	Feb. 14, 1888	85	4		2	91		1	1			12	77		22	55			77		8
Chevalier	183	Oakland City	Gibson	Feb. 17, 1888	73				73							73		13	60			73		
Hoosier	185	Forest	Clinton	Mar. 12, 1888	31				31						6	25		9	16			25		6

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Knightsville	186	Knightsville	Clay	Mar. 10, 1888	9				9							9		4	5			9		
Oxford	187	Oxford	Benton	Apr. 12, 1888	92	6	1	3	102			1				101		40	61			101	9	
Montpelier	188	Montpelier	Blackford	Apr. 12, 1888	200	27		9	236			2			28	206		32	171	3		206	6	
Mooresville	189	Mooresville	Morgan	Apr. 12, 1888	157	3		2	162			1			1	160		41	119			160	3	
Sunlight	190	Pennville	Jay	Apr. 20, 1888	70				70							70		20	50			70		
Auburn	191	Auburn	Dekalb	May 4, 1888	332	26	3	7	368	2	1	5			19	341		38	299	1	3	341	9	
St. Leon	192	Leesburg	Kosciusko	May 7, 1888	37				37		1				2	34		14	20			34		3
Metropolitan	193	Linton	Greene	May 11, 1888	149	4		3	156		1	2			16	137		30	107			137		12
Dauntless	194	Commiskey	Jennings	May 15, 1888	100				100			2			9	89		23	66			89		11
Monon	196	Monon	White	May 30, 1888	139				139			3			4	132		31	101			132		7
Hagerstown	198	Hagerstown	Wayne	Aug. 3, 1888	110				110			5			1	104		30	74			104		6
Achilles	200	Pine Village	Warren	Aug. 16, 1888	49	1	1	2	53			1			7	45		21	24			45		4
Falls	202	Williamsport.	Warren	Oct. 12, 1888	66				66	1		2			1	62		15	47			62		4
Tell City	203	Tell City	Perry	Dec. 17, 1888	140	16		1	157			2				155		50	105			155	15	
Milroy	204	Milroy	Rush	Dec. 19 1888	124				124							124		24	100			124		
Leonidas	205	Waterloo	Dekalb	Jan. 7 1889	118	3		1	122		1				12	109		31	78			109		9
Angola	206	Angola	Steuben	Jan. 31, 1889	117	2	3	1	123	10		1				112		24	88			112		5
Kenton	207	Flat Rock	Shelby	Feb. 6 1889	283	1	1		285	2		2		1	8	272		67	205			272		11
Center Point	209	Center Point	Clay	Feb. 22, 1889	38				38			1			10	27		12	15			27		11
Hammond	210	Hammond	Lake	Feb. 25, 1889	433	24	3	1	461	1	4	6			17	433		43	378	3	9	433		
Lafontaine	211	Lafontaine	Wabash	Feb. 27, 1889	90			5	95	1	1				7	86		24	62			86		4
Argos	212	Argos	Marshall	Feb. 28, 1889	65	1	1	7	74			1			7	66		26	40			66	1	
Prairie	213	Fowler	Benton	Feb. 15, 1889	55		4	2	61	2		2			4	53		24	29			53		2
Warren	214	West Lebanon.	Warren	Mar 15, 1889	45				45			2			8	35		5	30			35		10
New Palestine	215	New Palestine.	Hancock	Apr. 9, 1889	42		1		43	1		1			3	38		15	23			38		4
Center	216	Indianapolis	Marion	Apr. 23, 1889	149	3		2	154			4			6	144		31	112	1		144		5

Hazel	217	Clinton	Vermillion	May 9, 1889	126	6		6	138			2			21	115		18	96		1	115		11
Orange	218	Orleans	Orange	May 13, 1889	167			4	171			3			10	158		47	111			158		9
Paragon	219	Fairmount	Grant	May 15, 1889	21				21			1			3	17		9	8			17		4
Saline City	220	Saline City	Clay	May 29, 1889	14				14						1	13		10	3			13		1
Shoals	221	Shoals	Martin	June 10, 1889	115	4		1	120			1			9	110		26	84			110		5
Monami	222	South Whitley	Whitley	June 19, 1889	111		2		113			2			6	105		29	76			105		6
Albion	223	Albion	Noble	June 24, 1889	90	12	2	5	109			1			10	98		22	76			98	8	
Rosedale	224	Rosedale	Parke	July 8, 1889	56				56			1			10	45		13	32			45		11
Loogootee	225	Loogootee	Martin	July 9, 1889	40				40							40		15	25			40		
Knightstown	226	Knightstown	Henry	July 26, 1889	213	66	3	5	287			6				281		33	245	2	1	281	68	
Hamilton	228	Hamilton	Steuben	Aug. 19. 1889	216	2			218			1			9	208		68	140			208		8
Kosciusko	230	Syracuse	Kosciusko	Oct. 2, 1889	119				119			2			7	110		50	60			110		9
Marmont	231	Culver	Marshall	Nov. 29, 1889	74				74			1			8	65		30	35			65		9
Rathbone	232	Waveland	Montgomery	Dec. 12 1889	26				26						3	23		11	12			23		3
Lucullus	233	Bourbon	Marshall	Dec. 18, 1889	34				34	1		2				31		20	11			31		3
Sicilian	234	Pendleton	Madison	Dec. 19, 1889	143			1	144	1		3			23	117		31	86			117		26
Nashville	235	Nashville	Brown	Dec. 26, 1889	48				48							48		18	30			48		
Greenwood	238	Greenwood	Johnson	Jan. 29, 1890	243	9	4	7	263			6			15	242		44	195	2	1	242		1
Medora	239	Medora	Jackson	Jan. 30, 1890	83				83						4	79		29	50			79		4
Imperial	240	Mulberry	Clinton	Feb. 1, 1890	121	1			122			1			6	115		34	81			115		6
Sulphur Hill	241	Sulphur Hill	Shelby	Feb. 3, 1890	130				130							130		38	92			130		
Riverside	242	Newport	Vermillion	Feb. 3, 1890	64				64							64		24	40			64		
Mt. Etna	243	Brooklyn	Morgan	Feb. 4, 1890	74	2	1	1	78	2	2				1	73		24	49			73		1
W. Indianapolis	244	Indianapolis	Marion	Feb. 5, 1890	115	3		1	119			5				114		34	79		1	114		1
Pierceton	245	Pierceton	Kosciusko	Feb. 19, 1890	31				31						16	15		5	10			15		16
Spring Hill	246	Veedersburg	Fountain	Feb. 24, 1890	132				132	2		1			23	106		46	60			106		26
Dana	247	Dana	Vermillion	Mar. 3, 1890	92				92			3			5	84		28	56			84		8
Corunna	248	Corunna	Dekalb	Mar. 12, 1890	66	1	1		68	1		2			10	55		22	33			55		11
Marengo	249	Marengo	Crawford	Mar. 12, 1890	78				78						4	74		26	48			74		4
Zionsville	251	Zionsville	Boone	Mar. 25, 1890	166			1	167	7		2			15	143		30	113			143		23
Tallawanda	252	College Cor. O.	Union	Mar. 27, 1890	81				81							81		30	51			81		
Worthington	253	Worthington	Greene	Mar. 28, 1890	146	2	1		149			2			50	97		31	66			97		49
Arion	254	Indianapolis	Marion	Mar. 31, 1890	293	3			296	1	2	3			18	272		49	223			272		21
Laughery Valley	255	Batesville	Ripley	Apr. 4, 1890	145	4	1	4	154		1	1				152		40	112			152	7	
Arcadia	256	Arcadia	Hamilton	Apr. 8, 1890	186		1		187						2	185		45	140			185		1
Winslow	258	Winslow	Pike	May 1, 1890	61				61			1			6	54		20	34			54		7
Uniondale	259	Uniondale	Wells	May 13, 1890	15				15							15		5	10			15		
Cortland	260	Cortland	Jackson	May 19, 1890	78	6			84						6	78		18	60			78		
Fremont	261	Fremont	Steuben	May 23, 1890	176	5		6	187			1			28	158		26	132			158		18
Walkerton	263	Walkerton	St. Joseph	July 2, 1890	141				141			6			88	47		14	33			47		94
Montezuma	264	Montezuma	Parke	July 2, 1890	63				63			5				58		27	31			58		5
Oak Leaf	265	Richland	Spencer	July 8, 1890	101	2	1		104			2			8	94		27	67			94		7
New Market	266	Mew Market	Montgomery	July 18, 1890	84	1	1	3	89			2			4	83		32	51			83		1
Wyandotte	268	Leavenworth	Crawford	Aug. 11, 1890	69				69							69		20	49			69		

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Versailles	269	Versailles	Ripley	Aug. 11, 1890	60	1			61			1				60		20	40			60		
Newark	270	Newark	Greene	Aug. 19, 1890	111				111							111		31	80			111		
Odon	272	Odon	Daviess	Aug. 25, 1890	123				123	2		1			18	102		42	60			102		21
Tippecanoe	273	Battle Ground	Tippecanoe	Aug. 28, 1890	121	1		1	123		1	5			6	111		42	68	1		111		10
Winamac	274	Winamac	Pulaski	Sept. 2, 1890	112				112							112		42	70			112		
Brook	277	Brook	Newton	Oct. 3, 1890	165	2			167	1		2				164		51	113			164		1
Rossville	278	Rossville	Clinton	Oct. 22, 1890	58			3	61		1				11	49		19	30			49		9
Shannondale	279	Shannondale	Montgomery	Oct. 29, 1890	29				29	1		1			2	25		18	7			25		4
Fountain City	280	Flora	Carroll	Nov. 10, 1890	70	1			71	1					22	48		21	27			48		22
Reddington	281	Reddington	Jackson	Nov 24, 1890	50				50	1		1			1	47		25	22			47		3
Saltillo	282	Saltillo	Washington	Nov. 28, 1890	31				31							31		15	16			31		
Triangle	283	Boswell	Benton	Dec. 1, 1890	21				21						3	18		9	9			18		3
Dale	284	Dale	Spencer	Dec. 13, 1890	9	16		11	36							36		11	24		1	36	27	
Cooper	285	Georgetown	Floyd	Dec. 18, 1890	41				41						1	40		13	27			40		1
Cedric	286	Chrisney	Spencer	Dec. 20, 1890	61				61			1			14	46		20	26			46		15
Nappanee	287	Nappanee	Elkhart	Jan. 15, 1891	141	2			143	4		2			27	110		31	76		3	110		31
Henry Clay	288	NewRichmond	Montgomery	Jan. 16, 1891	77	1			78	1		2			11	64	1	18	45			64		13
Anchor	289	Brookston	White	Jan. 23, 1891	191	2		1	194			2			18	174		43	131			174		17
North Salem	291	North Salem	Hendricks	Feb. 3, 1891	27				27	27														27
Indian Springs	292	Indian Springs	Martin	Feb. 5, 1891	25				25							25		15	10			25		
Garnet	293	Bremen	Marshall	Feb. 6, 1891	77	2			79	4					14	61		28	33			61		16
New Ross	294	New Ross	Montgomery	Feb. 17, 1891	36				36							36		16	20			36		
Knox	296	Knox	Starke	Feb. 19, 1891	56				56							56		20	36			56		
Roachdale	297	Roachdale	Putnam	Feb. 23, 1891	27				27							27		10	17			27		
Bunker Hill	299	Bunker Hill	Miami	Feb. 24, 1891	51				51	51														51
Lowell	300	Lowell	Lake	Feb. 27, 1891	134	4	1		139			2			4	133		28	104		1	133		1

Sandborn	302	Sandborn	Knox	Mar. 3, 1891	93	13	8	3	117			2			11	104		35	69			104	11	
Milltown	304	Milltown	Crawford	Mar. 12, 1891	70				70			2			3	65		20	45			65		5
Starlight	306	Wingate	Montgomery	Mar. 16, 1891	73	1	1	3	78			1			8	69		26	43			69		4
Taylorsville	307	Taylorsville	Bartholomew	Mar. 19, 1891	60				60	59					1									60
Golden Rule	308	Andrews	Huntington	Mar. 23, 1891	44				44			1				43		9	34			43		1
Westville	309	Westville	Laporte	Mar. 24, 1891	62				62			1			3	58		28	30			58		4
Russellville	310	Russellville	Putnam	Mar. 27, 1891	120	4			124			2			9	113		34	77	1	1	113		7
Middlebury	311	Middlebury	Elkhart	Apr. 6, 1891	56				56							56		33	23			56		
Marco	312	Marco	Greene	Apr. 21, 1891	28				28			1			3	24		7	17			24		4
Palmyra	313	Palmyra	Harrison	Apr. 21, 1891	47			2	49							49		17	32			49	2	
Frankton	315	Frankton	Madison	Apr. 30, 1891	167	7	3		177	3	2				8	164		35	129			164		3
Waynetown	316	Waynetown	Montgomery	May 1, 1891	107		1		108			4			10	94		24	70			94		13
Westport	317	Westport	Decatur	May 6, 1891	50			7	57	2	2	2				51		13	38			51	1	
Arbor Vitae	318	Indianapolis	Marion	May 19, 1891	247	1	2		250			4			47	199		42	157			199		48
Red Stone	319	Hillsboro	Fountain	May 19, 1891	72				72			1			6	65		25	40			65		7
Spencerville	321	Spencerville	Dekalb	May 28, 1891	82				82							82		12	70			82		
Irvington	324	Indianapolis	Marion	July 8, 1891	76				76	75		1												76
Atwood	326	Atwood	Kosciusko	July 10, 1891	22				22						1	21		13	8			21		1
Millersburg	328	Millersburg	Elkhart	Aug. 31, 1891	80				80			2			9	69		17	52			69		11
Cordelia	329	Akron	Fulton	Sept. 2, 1891	73	2		1	76			1			3	72		32	40			72		1
Clover Leaf	330	Greentown	Howard	Sept. 15, 1891	83				83			1			12	70		30	40			70		13
Straughn	331	Straughn	Henry	Oct. 7, 1891	184	55		7	246						4	242		52	190			242	58	
Camden	332	Camden	Carroll	Oct. 23, 1891	80			1	81			2				79		23	56			79		1
Dillsboro	333	Dillsboro	Dearborn	Nov. 11, 1891	45				45			1				44		24	20			44		1
Alexandria	335	Alexandria	Madison	Dec. 3, 1891	166	3			169		1	2			6	160		39	119	1	1	160		6
Stinesville	337	Stinesville	Monroe	Dec. 22, 1891	37				37			1			6	30		5	25			30		7
Custer	339	Converse	Miami	Dec. 28, 1891	102			1	103			6			7	90		22	68			90		12
Rubicon	340	Michigantown	Clinton	Jan. 1, 1892	64				64			1			8	55		27	28			55		9
Burney	341	Burney	Decatur	Jan. 17, 1892	99	9	1	1	110		3					107		47	60			107	8	
Lizton	342	Lizton	Hendricks	Feb. 4, 1892	124	5		1	130	2		3			8	117		37	80			117		7
Ossian	343	Ossian	Wells	Feb. 4, 1892	120	2			122			1			10	111		17	94			111		9
Nineveh	344	Nineveh	Johnson	Feb. 5, 1892	100	5		4	109			2			2	105		23	82			105	5	
Elrod	345	Elrod	Ripley	Feb. 19, 1892	36				36							36		16	20			36		
Helmet	346	Young Amer.	Cass	Feb. 25, 1892	148			1	149			4			9	136		48	88			136		12
Roll	347	Roll	Blackford	Feb. 25, 1892	69	5			74		1					73		26	47			73	4	
Whiting	348	Whiting	Lake	Mar. 7, 1892	162				162						20	142		47	95			142		20
Diamond	349	Cloverdale	Putnam	Mar. 7, 1892	220	2	1		223			3			6	214	1	56	156	1		214		6
Summit	350	Stockwell	Tippecanoe	Mar. 7, 1892	33				33						4	29		9	20			29		4
Sunman	352	Sunman	Ripley	Mar. 22, 1892	71	1			72	2		1				69		28	41			69		2
Wheatfield	353	Wheatfield	Jasper	Mar. 23, 1892	78				78							78		28	50			78		
Maumee	354	New Haven	Allen	Mar. 24, 1892	66	3		1	70			3				67		21	46			67	1	
Carmel	355	Carmel	Hamilton	Mar. 31, 1892	130				130			1			14	115		28	87			115		15
Graham Valley	356	San Jacinto	Jennings	Apr. 13, 1892	18				18						4	14		14				14		4
Letts Corner	357	Letts	Decatur	Apr. 13, 1892	67	8	1	14	90						6	84		24	60			84	17	

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Monroeville	360	Monroeville	Allen	Apr. 29, 1892	40	2		1	43							43		17	26			43	3	
Gas Belt	361	Summitville	Madison	May 5, 1892	25			3	28	1					2	25		13	12			25		
Amity	362	Galveston	Cass	June 7, 1892	152				152			2			6	144		39	105			144		8
Scipio	363	Scipio	Jennings	June 2, 1892	34				34						3	31		8	23			31		3
Poland	364	Poland	Clay	June 16, 1892	108				108			2			4	102		45	57			102		6
Cross Plains	365	Cross Plains	Ripley	July 1, 1892	14				14	14														14
Purity	366	Patriot	Switzerland	July 19, 1892	117				117			1			9	107		40	67			107		10
North Webster	367	North Webster	Kosciusko	Aug. 9, 1892	42				42							42		20	22			42		
St. Paul	368	St. Paul	Decatur	Aug. 29, 1892	56				56	1		1			9	45		14	31			45		11
Bristol	369	Bristol	Elkhart	Sept. 28, 1892	42				42			1			7	34		14	20			34		8
Plainville	371	Plainville	Daviess	Oct. 21, 1892	52				52						22	30		15	15			30		22
Park	372	Earl Park	Benton	Oct. 28, 1892	35				35							35		15	20			35		
Denver	373	Denver	Miami	Oct. 28, 1892	29				29	29														29
Paul Revere	374	Terre Haute	Vigo	Nov. 10, 1892	488	12		1	501	2		10			21	468	1	49	418			468	8	
Adelphia	375	Churubusco	Whitley	Dec. 1, 1892	110	3	2	3	118			4			41	73		15	58			73		37
Brownsburg	377	Brownsburg	Hendricks	Jan. 26, 1893	122		2	1	125			1			25	99		41	58			99		23
Valentine	378	Albany	Delaware	Feb. 14, 1893	85			1	86			1			12	73		24	49			73		12
Crescent	379	Dugger	Sullivan	Feb. 16, 1893	48	4		5	57			4				53		15	38			53	5	
Evergreen	381	Newberry	Greene	Feb. 22, 1893	37				37		1	1			15	20		8	12			20		17
Redkey	383	Redkey	Jay	Mar. 23, 1893	174	4			178			6			17	155		35	120			155		19
Acton	385	Acton	Marion	Mar. 30, 1893	81				81			2			3	76		30	46			76		5
Lapel	386	Lapel	Madison	Apr. 6, 1893	119	12		3	134						4	130		50	80			130	11	
Houston	387	Houston	Jackson	Apr. 13, 1893	72				72							72		30	42			72		
Artesian	388	Warren	Huntington	May 9, 1893	67				67			2				65		25	40			65		2
Lyons	389	Lyons	Greene	May 10, 1893	24				24							24		14	10			24		
Cayuga	390	Cayuga	Vermillion	May 24, 1893	13				13	13														13

Coatesville	391	Coatesville	Hendricks	May 26, 1893	40				40							40		20	20			40		
Medaryville	392	Medaryville	Pulaski	May 29, 1893	93	9		2	104		1				7	96		14	80	1	1	96	3	
Wayne	393	West Point	Tippecanoe	June 12, 1893	40	10			50	1		1				48		18	30			48	8	
Westfield	395	Westfield	Hamilton	July 25, 1893	69	3		2	74			2			2	70		25	45			70	1	
Francesville	396	Francesville	Pulaski	July 27, 1893	29			1	30						1	29		10	19			29		
Wolf Lake	397	Wolf Lake	Noble	Oct. 6, 1893	49	4			53	1		2				50		23	27			50	1	
Philemon	399	Tangier	Parke	Dec. 15, 1893	27				27						4	23		12	11			23		4
St. Joe	400	St. Joe	Dekalb	Feb. 28, 1894	42				42						1	41		24	17			41		1
Silver Shield	403	Muncie	Delaware	June 12, 1894	201				201						61	140		40	100			140		61
Fortville	404	Fortville	Hancock	July 13, 1894	63	1	1		65						2	63		24	39			63		
Hebron	405	Hebron	Porter	Aug. 2, 1894	132				132			1				131		30	101			131		1
Abington	406	Abington	Wayne	Aug. 2, 1894	61				61							61		20	41			61		
Cromwell	408	Cromwell	Noble	Oct. 16, 1894	140	2	1		143	1		4			6	132		70	62			132		8
Wolcott	409	Wolcott	White	Oct. 24, 1894	72				72	1		2			10	59		27	32			59		13
Energy	410	Oakville	Delaware	Nov. 2, 1894	25				25							25		10	15			25		
Metz	411	Metz	Steuben	Jan. 8, 1895	49				49	49														49
Sheffield	414	Dayton	Tippecanoe	Mar. 5, 1895	135				135			1			12	122		39	83			122		13
Banner	416	Anderson	Madison	Apr. 17, 1895	237	23	23	1	284	1		5			32	246		44	199	3		246	9	
Sellersburg	417	Sellersburg	Clark	May 22, 1895	164	1		2	167			1			8	158		36	122			158		6
Jennings	418	Charlestown	Clark	June 6, 1895	60	10			70			1				69		20	49			69	9	
White River	420	Otwell	Pike	July 10, 1895	43				43			1			8	34		20	14			34		9
Markle	423	Markle	Huntington	Sept. 2, 1895	84				84			6				78		31	47			78		6
Brandywine	425	Fairland	Shelby	Nov. 18, 1895	74			2	76			2			17	57		20	37			57		17
Star City	427	Star City	Pulaski	Dec. 12, 1895	116	10		1	127		1	3			9	114		30	83		1	114		2
Gas City	428	Gas City	Grant	Dec. 17, 1895	103	6			109			1			1	107		29	75	2	1	107	4	
Mt. Summit	429	Mt. Summit	Henry	Dec. 23, 1895	66				66						30	36		16	20			36		30
Morgan	431	Paragon	Morgan	Dec. 27, 1895	140	13		10	163			4			9	150		50	100			150	10	
Wawaka	432	Wawaka	Noble	Feb. 7, 1896	56	3			59			2		1	8	48		14	34			48		8
Hetfield	433	Newtown	Fountain	Feb. 27, 1896	77				77		2	1				74		14	60			74		3
Leesville	434	Leesville	Lawrence	Mar. 2, 1896	14				14			1	1			12		5	7			12		2
Bridgeton	435	Bridgeton	Parke	Mar. 6, 1896	73				73			1			13	59		19	40			59		14
Otterville	436	N.Terre Haute	Vigo	Mar. 10, 1896	63		1	1	65			1			6	58		21	37			58		5
Johnson	437	Trafalgar	Johnson	Apr. 1, 1896	38				38						7	31		15	16			31		7
Vallonia	439	Vallonia	Jackson	May 2, 1896	26			1	27			1				26		14	12			26		
Chesterton	442	Chesterton	Porter	May 28, 1896	127	2		1	130	2		2			17	109		41	68			109		18
Metamora	445	Metamora	Franklin	Dec. 9, 1896	47				47			1				46		22	24			46		1
Yorktown	448	Yorktown	Delaware	Mar. 1, 1897	72				72			1				71		37	34			71		1
Needham	450	Needham	Johnson	Mar. 19, 1897	64	3		2	69			1			18	50		20	30			50		14
Swayzee	451	Swayzee	Grant	May 12, 1897	129	1		2	132		1	1				130		38	92			130	1	
Daleville	452	Daleville	Delaware	Dec. 1, 1897	37	2			39			1			8	30		27	3			30		7
Mishawaka	453	Mishawaka	St. Joseph	Jan. 20, 1898	290	8	3	10	311	4	2	5			20	280	1	38	240		1	280		10
Reynolds	454	Reynolds	White	Feb. 11, 1898	74	4			78			1			8	69		22	47			69		5
Alquina	456	Alquina	Fayette	Mar. 11, 1898	179				179			3			7	169		69	100			169		10
Williamsburg	459	Williamsburg	Wayne	Apr. 8, 1898	52				52							52		12	40			52		

DETAILED REPORT OF SUBORDINATE LODGE MEMBERSHIP FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1930—Continued.

Lodge	Number	Location	County	Instituted	Membership Last Report	Gains				Losses						Actual Membership	Membership by Rank							
						Initiated	Admitted by Card	Reinstated	TOTAL	Withdrawn by Card	Transferred by Card	Deceased	Suspended for Offense	Expelled for Offense	Suspended for Failure to Pay Dues		Past Grand Chancellors	Past Chancellors	Knights	Esquires	Pages	TOTAL	Gains	Losses
Rome City	460	Rome City	Noble	Apr. 11, 1898	41	5	10		56			2			3	51		15	34	2		51	10	
Cleo	461	Brooksburg	Jefferson	May 23, 1898	83	3		1	87			1			4	82		31	51			82		1
Elite	462	Royal Center	Cass	June 15, 1898	208			1	209			1			8	200		36	164			200		8
Stones Crossing	464	Stones Cross'g.	Johnson	July 29, 1898	82	1		2	85			1			9	75			75			75		7
Caseyville	465	Diamond	Parke	Nov. 2, 1898	44				44	1						43		13	30			43		1
Tocsin	468	Tocsin	Wells	Feb. 21, 1899	80				80	2		1			7	70		26	44			70		10
Bellmore	469	Bellmore	Parke	Mar. 30, 1899	16			2	18			1			2	15		12	3			15		1
19th Century	470	Indianapolis	Marion	Apr. 13, 1899	523	3	5	7	538	4		12			97	425	1	68	356			425		98
Orestes	471	Orestes	Madison	May 29, 1899	86	1		2	89			1			3	85		35	50			85		1
Mayflower	472	W. Middleton	Howard	June 7, 1899	50				50						8	42		22	20			42		8
Blue Ridge	473	Blue Ridge	Shelby	Aug. 10, 1899	28				28			1			2	25		10	15			25		3
New Bethel	474	Wanamaker	Marion	Oct. 10, 1899	28				28							28		10	18			28		
Alfordsville	475	Alfordsville	Daviess	Nov. 22, 1899	16				16						2	14		9	5			14		2
East Chicago	477	East Chicago	Lake	Jan. 31, 1900	190	19	3		212	2		1			7	202		20	178	4		202	12	
Markleville	479	Markleville	Madison	Feb. 16, 1900	18				18						5	13		6	7			13		5
Advance	480	Advance	Boone	Feb. 24, 1900	41				41							41		21	20			41		
Raymond	481	Hymera	Sullivan	Feb. 12, 1900	93				93		1	2			9	81		24	57			81		12
Linden	484	Linden	Montgomery	Apr. 12, 1900	36				36							36		16	20			36		
Mecca	488	Mecca	Parke	Aug. 6, 1900	48				48						7	41		20	21			41		7
Kirklin	490	Kirklin	Clinton	Feb. 7, 1901	58				58							58		18	40			58		
Seelyville	491	Seelyville	Vigo	May 1, 1901	27				27							27		10	17			27		
Morocco	492	Morocco	Newton	Sept. 3, 1901	156	7	1	2	166			2			7	157		26	131			157	1	
Van Buren	496	Van Buren	Grant	Apr. 10, 1902	54			2	56			1			4	51		25	26			51		3
Buck Creek	497	Buck Creek	Tippecanoe	May 30, 1902	13	9			22							22		8	14			22	9	
Bethlehem	498	Bethlehem	Clark	July 19, 1902	37			4	41						2	39		19	20			39	2	
Jasonville	501	Jasonville	Greene	Mar. 3, 1903	166			3	169			1			7	161		28	133			161		5

Monrovia	502	Monrovia	Morgan	May 15, 1903	65				65	2		1			7	55		15	40			55		10
Parker	503	Parker	Randolph	June 17, 1903	18				18							18		18				18		
Staunton	506	Staunton	Clay	Sept. 11, 1903	38				38			1				37		10	27			37		1
McCordsville	507	McCordsville	Hancock	Dec. 9, 1903	62				62							62		27	35			62		
Pluto	509	French Lick	Orange	Feb. 15, 1904	78	12		4	94						8	86		16	63	5	2	86	8	
Lewis	511	Lewis	Vigo	Mar. 2, 1904	14				14						7	7		7				7		7
Fort Ritner	512	Fort Ritner	Lawrence	Mar. 15, 1904	35				35							35		15	20			35		
Geneva	514	Geneva	Adams	Apr. 11, 1904	77	21	1	8	107			1			2	104		19	85			104	27	
Indiana Harbor	515	Ind. Harbor	Lake	Apr. 14, 1904	104	5		3	112			1				111		18	92		1	111	7	
Bruceville	517	Bruceville	Knox	Sept. 12, 1904	36				36			1			19	16		10	6			16		20
Brimfield	520	Brimfield	Noble	Jan. 10, 1905	13				13	11					2									13
W. Terre Haute	521	W. Terre Haute	Vigo	Jan. 26, 1905	57	1		1	59			1			5	53		16	37			53		4
Aitken	522	Fulton	Fulton	Feb. 14, 1905	61	1		1	63			1			3	59		22	37			59		2
Oolitic	523	Oolitic	Lawrence	July 3, 1905	99	3		2	104			2			14	88		13	75			88		11
Marling	524	Uniontown	Jackson	Aug. 31, 1905	23				23							23		10	13			23		
Stanford	525	Stanford	Monroe	Sept. 22, 1905	59	1			60			1			22	37		14	23			37		22
Athenian	527	Velpen	Pike	May 31, 1906	11				11			1			3	7		5	2			7		4
Williams	528	Williams	Lawrence	Oct. 24, 1906	24				24							24		10	14			24		
Oak Hill	529	Bicknell	Knox	Nov. 12, 1906	50				50						29	21		9	12			21		29
Smithville	530	Smithville	Monroe	Jan. 24, 1907	19				19			1			6	12		6	6			12		7
St. Bernice	533	St. Bernice	Vermillion	Apr. 15, 1907	33				33						8	25		4	21			25		8
Shelby	534	Montmorenci	Tippecanoe	June 25, 1907	54	2			56			1			8	47		21	24		2	47		7
Cantaloupe	537	Decker	Knox	Feb. 24, 1908	47				47	1					11	35		18	17			35		12
Rosetta	539	Belle Union	Putnam	Mar. 18, 1908	24				24							24		10	14			24		
Blue River	540	Mooreland	Henry	June 15, 1908	30	6		4	40							40		17	23			40	10	
Gary	541	Gary	Lake	June 17, 1908	218	12	4	6	240	1	1	2			17	219		32	183	3	1	219	1	
Greens Fork	543	Greens Fork	Wayne	July 22, 1909	48				48						8	40		19	21			40		8
Clifton	544	Indianapolis	Marion	Dec. 2, 1909	102	4		8	114			2			8	104		26	78			104	2	
Lacrosse	551	Lacrosse	Laporte	June 8, 1910	41				41						14	27		17	10			27		14
Spartanburg	552	Spartanburg	Randolph	June 29, 1910	41				41						14	27		10	17			27		14
Victor	553	Clinton	Vermillion	Nov. 11, 1910	335	25	3	4	367			5			6	356		13	343			356	21	
Sedalia	555	Sedalia	Clinton	Apr. 25, 1911	41			2	43	1					16	26		12	14			26		15
Hanover	557	Hanover	Jefferson	Jan. 25, 1915	36				36			1				35		14	21			35		1
Clear Creek	558	Clear Creek	Monroe	May 6, 1915	48				48							48		18	30			48		
Edwardsport	560	Edwardsport	Knox	Apr. 17, 1920	12				12	12														12
Steele	566	Bainbridge	Putnam	Oct. 7, 1925	43				43							43		13	30			43		
Carnahan	A	Indianapolis	Marion	Oct. 6, 1911	179		15	6	200			5				195			195			195	16	
Grand Total					49,071	1,408	647	553	51,679	833	72	851	1	5	3,736	46,181	27	11,489	34,490	94	81	46,181	1,489	4,379

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Indiana Pythian Home

Lafayette, Indiana

OPENED DECEMBER 1, 1927

Raising of Fund commenced October 7, 1924
Total of $200,000.00 reached July 29, 1926
Contract Let August 19, 1926
Ground Broken September 1, 1926
Corner Stone Laid October 4, 1926
Formally Accepted July 29, 1927
Dedicated August 10, 1927
Formally Opened December 1, 1927
Residents June 30, 1930:
54 Men, 16 Women, 31 Boys, 25 Girls